



2021 NATIONAL
CHAMPIONS
NEBRASKA BOWLING
NCAA



NATIONAL CHAMPION

6X
NCAA
CHAMPIONS

2004

2005

2009

2013

2015

2021



INTRODUCTION

Table Of Contents	1
Nebraska Bowling Facts/2021-22 Schedule	2
2021-22 Roster.....	3

THIS IS NEBRASKA

This is Nebraska Bowling	4-7
Academic Success & Experience	8-11
Life Skills	12-13
Athletic Medicine.....	14-15
Athletic Facilities	16-17
Athletic Excellence.....	18-19
There is No Place Like Nebraska	20-23
Lincoln.....	24-25
#NIBRASKA	26-27

COACHES & STAFF

Head Coach Paul Klempa	28
Assistant Head Coach Julia Bond	29
Bowling Staff	30-31

2021-22 HUSKERS

Season Outlook	32-33
Michelle Guarro	34
Cassidy Ray	35
Crystal Elliott.....	36
Kayla Verstraete	37
Gwen Maeha.....	38
Kendyl Hofmeister	39
Amara Smith Speights.....	40
Alexis Buchart/Marissa Cosentini	41
Alexia Cassman/Anna Callan	41

2020-21 SEASON REVIEW

Season Review	42-43
Team & Individual Statistics	43

NEBRASKA HISTORY & RECORDS

Nebraska Bowling History/All-Americans	44
All-Time Letterwinners/National Award Winners.....	45
All-Time Results	46
Individual and Team Titles	47
Individual Records.....	48

NEBRASKA ADMINISTRATION

University Administration/Board of Regents.....	49-50
Vice Chancellor, Director of Athletics Trev Alberts	51
Athletic Department Directory.....	52

NEBRASKA BOWLING FACTS

Season of Bowling (First Season).....	25th (1997)
Total National Championships	8 (Last, 2021)
Total NCAA Championships.....	6 (Last, 2021)
NCAA Championship Appearances.....	17 (Last, 2021)
Total Team Tournament Titles	111
Total Individual Tournament Titles	75
National Collegiate Bowlers of the Year	11
National Collegiate Rookies of the Year	4
National Collegiate Coaches of the Year	5
NTCA All-Americans	77
NTCA All-Academic Bowlers.....	78

TEAM INFORMATION

2020-21 National Finish	First
2020-21 Team Tournament Victories	1
2020-21 Individual Tournament Victories	0
2020-21 Individual Runner-Up Finishes.....	1
2020-21 All-Americans.....	3
All-Americans Returning/Lost	3/0
Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....	7/0
Newcomers.....	1

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Paul Klempa
» Third season as Nebraska head coach	
» 25th season at Nebraska	
» 8 National Titles/6 NCAA Titles	
Assistant Head Coach	Julia Bond
» First season at Nebraska	
Bowling Office Manager	Ellen Shutts
» Third season with bowling	
» 31st season at Nebraska	

CONTACT INFORMATION

Main Phone Number	402-472-0404
Mailing Address: Nebraska Bowling Office	
111 East Campus Union	
P.O. Box 830958	
Lincoln, NE 68583-0958	

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	Lincoln, Neb.
Population	293,905
Founded	1869
Enrollment	24,431
Facility	Nebraska Bowling Facility
Home Tournament Venue	Hollywood Bowl
Nickname	Cornhuskers, Huskers
Colors	Scarlet and Cream
Conference	Big Ten*
President.....	Walter "Ted" Carter, Jr.
Chancellor	Ronnie D. Green
Institutional Representative	Scott Fuess Jr.
Vice Chancellor, Director of Athletics.....	Trev Alberts
*-Bowling is not a Big Ten sponsored sport	

COMMUNICATIONS INFORMATION

Bowling Contact.....	Shamus McKnight
.....	Sara Segal
Office Phone.....	(402) 472-7772
E-Mail	smcknight@huskers.com
.....	taylor.riemersma@huskers.unl.edu
Mailing Address:.....	Nebraska Communications
.....	One Memorial Stadium
.....	Lincoln, NE 68588-0123

MEDIA GUIDE CREDITS

The 2021-22 Nebraska Bowling Media Guide was written and designed by Shamus McKnight and Sara Segal of the Nebraska Communications Office, with editorial assistance from Communications Intern Meghan Straub, Senior Associate Communications Director/Operations Jeff Griesch and the NU Bowling Office. All photography was provided by Athletic Department Photographers Scott Bruhn, Lydia Asplin and Maddie Washburn and UNL Photo Services. Cover design by Director of Creative & Emerging Media Nick Burkhardt.

2021-22 NEBRASKA BOWLING SCHEDULE

Date	Tournament	City (Facility)
October 22-24	Bearcat Hammer Open	Fairview Heights, Ill. (St. Clair Bowl)
November 5-7	Track Kat Klash	Houston, Texas (Emerald Lanes)
November 12-14	Motiv Ladyjack Classic	Kenosha, Wis. (Sheridan Lanes)
January 8-10	Stormin' Blue & White Vegas Classic	Las Vegas, Nev. (South Point Hotel & Casino)
January 28-30	Prairie View A&M Invite	Arlington, Texas (ITRC)
February 4-6	Columbia 300 Saints	Valley Park, Mo. (Bowlero Lakeside)
February 18-22	Mid-Winter Invitational	Jonesboro, Ark. (Hijinx Family Entertainment Center)
February 25-27	Big Red Invitational	Lincoln, Neb. (Hollywood Bowl)
March 18-20	Music City Classic	Smyrna, Tenn. (Smyrna Bowling Center)
April 8-9	NCAA Regionals	TBA
April 15-16	NCAA Championships	Columbus, Ohio (Wayne Webb's Columbus Bowl)



The Huskers return every bowler which competed in the 2021 NCAA Championship. NU won its sixth NCAA title by defeating Arkansas State.

2021-22 NEBRASKA BOWLING ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
3	Cassidy Ray	R-Sr.	Herrin, Ill. (Herrin)
4	Alexis Buchert	R-Fr.	San Antonio, Texas (Taft)
8	Marissa Cosentini	R-Fr.	Wayne, N.J. (Wayne Valley)
9	Michelle Guarro	Gr.	Guadalajara, Mexico (Lincoln)
10	Amara Smith Speights	Jr.	Woodbridge, Va. (Freedom)
11	Kendyl Hofmeister	R-Jr.	Essexville, Mich. (Garber)
13	Kayla Verstraete	R-So.	Loves Park, Ill. / (M.P. Harlem)
15	Crystal Elliott	Jr.	Palm Bay, Fla. (Duquesne)
21	Gwen Maeha	R-Jr.	Wahiawa, Hawaii (Leilehua)
26	Anna Callan	Fr.	La Crosse, Wis. (Holmen)
33	Alexia Cassman	R-Fr.	Las Vegas, Nev. (Shadow Ridge)

Head Coach: Paul Klempa (Third season as head coach; 25th season at Nebraska)

Assistant Head Coach: Julia Bond (First season)



The 2021-22 Huskers. Front row (from left): Amara Smith Speights and Gwen Maeha. Second row (from left): Marissa Cosentini, Alexis Buchert, Kayla Verstraete, Alexia Cassman and Kendyl Hofmeister. Back row (from left): Assistant Coach Julia Bond, Crystal Elliott, Michelle Guarro, Cassidy Ray, Anna Callan and Head Coach Paul Klempa.



UNL Chancellor Ronnie Green, Head Coach Paul Klempa and All-American Cassidy Ray were among the dignitaries at the Husker Bowling Center ribbon-cutting ceremony in October of 2021.

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr.
3	Cassidy Ray	RSr.
4	Alexis Buchert	RFr.
8	Marissa Cosentini	RFr.
9	Michelle Guarro	Gr.
10	Amara Smith-Speights	Jr.
11	Kendyl Hofmeister	RJr.
13	Kayla Verstraete	RSO.
15	Crystal Elliott	Jr.
21	Gwen Maeha	RJr.
26	Anna Callan	Fr.
33	Alexia Cassman	RFr.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Michelle GUARRO	Goo-are-o
Gwen MAEHA	MY-ay-hah
Kayla VERSTRAETE	VER-stray-tee
Amara Smith-SPEIGHTS	SPATES
Alexis BUCHERT	BUE-kurt

HUSKERS BY CLASS

Graduate (1)	Michelle Guarro
Senior (1)	Cassidy Ray
Redshirt Juniors (2)	Kendyl Hofmeister Gwen Maeha
Juniors (2)	Crystal Elliott, Amara Smith-Speights
Redshirt Sophomore (1)	Kayla Verstraete
Redshirt Freshmen (3)	Alexis Buchert, Alexia Cassman, Marissa Cosentini
Freshmen (1)	Anna Callan

HUSKER HOMES

Florida (1)	Crystal Elliott
Hawaii (1)	Gwen Maeha
Illinois (2)	Cassidy Ray Kayla Verstraete
Michigan (1)	Kendyl Hofmeister
New Jersey (1)	Marissa Cosentini
Nevada (1)	Alexia Cassman
Texas (1)	Alexis Buchert
Virginia (1)	Amara Smith-Speights
Wisconsin (1)	Anna Callan
Mexico (1)	Michelle Guarro

HUSKERS BY MAJOR

Chemistry Education (1)	Kendyl Hofmeister
Criminology & Criminal Justice (2)	Cassidy Ray Kayla Verstraete
Elementary Education (1)	Gwen Maeha
Elementary & Special Education (1)	Crystal Elliott
Forensic Science (1)	Alexia Cassman
Management (1)	Michelle Guarro
Nutrition, Exercise and Health Science (2)	Alexis Buchert, Anna Callan
Psychology (2)	Marissa Cosentini, Amara Smith-Speights

NTCA ALL-AMERICANS

Crystal Elliott	2021 (First-Team)
Kayla Verstraete	2021 (Second-Team)
Cassidy Ray	2021 (Third-Team)
	2020 (Honorable-Mention)

NTCA ALL-ACADEMIC SELECTIONS

Alexis Buchert	2021
Michelle Guarro	2018
Kendyl Hofmeister	2020
Gwen Maeha	2020
Cassidy Ray	2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
Amara Smith Speights	2021

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN SELECTIONS

Alexia Cassman	2021
Michelle Guarro	2019, 2020, 2021
Kendyl Hofmeister	2020, 2021
Gwen Maeha	2020, 2021
Cassidy Ray	2019, 2020, 2021
Amara Smith Speights	2021



**THIS IS
NEBRASKA
BOWLING**

THE HOME OF
NEBRASKA BOWLING

Huskers

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

1999 2001 2004 2005 2009 2013 2015



GRAND OPENING ON OCT. 9, 2020



PLAYERS LOUNGE



HUSKER LOCKER ROOM



**HOME OF
THE SIX-TIME
NCAA CHAMPIONS**



**RAQUEL
OROZCO**

**2020 NTCA BOWLER
OF THE YEAR**

**CRYSTAL
ELLIOTT**

**2021 NTCA BOWLER
OF THE YEAR**

**LIZABETH
KUHLMAN**

**12 BOWLERS OF THE YEAR,
77 ALL-AMERICANS**

**SHANNON
PLUHOWSKY**

**THREE-TIME COLLEGIATE BOWLER
OF THE YEAR**

ACADEMIC SUCCESS



GAZMINE MASON
THREE-TIME
ALL-AMERICAN



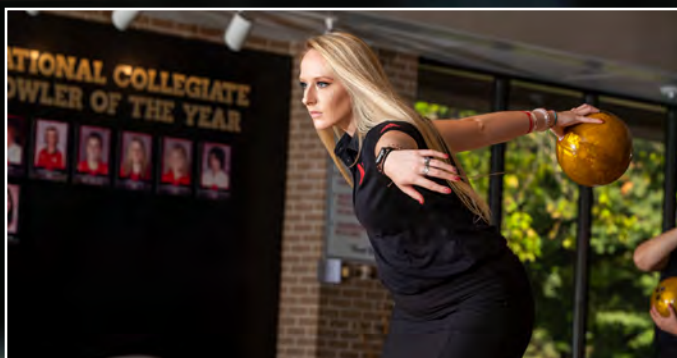
MEGHAN STRAUB, COSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN



ESTEFANIA PRIETO, BIG TEN DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR



AMARA SMITH SPEIGHTS, NTCA ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM



CASSIDY RAY, ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE





**ANTON
STEPHENSON**
MEN'S GYMNASTICS

2020 NCAA TODAY'S TOP TEN AWARD



**ANGELA
MERCURIO**
TRACK & FIELD

2019 NCAA WOMAN OF THE YEAR

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

DIVISION I SCHOOLS ALL-TIME



347



274



271

ACADEMIC COUNSELING

Eight academic counselors, three learning specialists, two assistant academic counselors and one administrative assistant are in place to monitor daily academic progress, receive consistent course feedback, assist with the advising/registration process and monitor eligibility and progress toward graduation.

TUTORIAL SUPPORT

A tremendous resource for all academic abilities, unlimited tutorial support from approximately 75-100 tutors on staff is available from day one up to college graduation in all subject areas. Tutorial support is provided both in-person and virtually. Nebraska's tutorial program is certified as a model tutoring program by the College Reading and Learning Association.

STUDY HALL

Student-athletes attend a supervised, flexible study hall within the Herman Student Life Complex that features day, evening and weekend hours. Student-athletes are required to complete a specific number of study hours each week as determined by their academic counselor and/or coach. Additional performance-based or tutor-based study hall also may be determined by the academic counselor.

MENTORING

Academic staff serve as mentors to all incoming student-athletes. The student-athletes meet with their mentor weekly to develop time management skills, gather and report academic progress information and discuss academic success strategies.

EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENTS

Assessments are administered upon the request of the student-athlete, academic counselor, or coach. Learning specialists are available to administer and score informal assessments, which include a reading comprehension and a writing assessment. When more in-depth assessments are necessary, referrals are made to a consulting neuropsychologist who conducts the assessments. If it is determined a student-athlete has a learning disability or another medical condition that impedes the student from reaching their academic potential, appropriate accommodations are implemented by the Office of Services for Students with Disabilities.

STUDENT-ATHLETE ORIENTATION

Each new student-athlete attends an orientation at the beginning of their academic career. Student-athletes are introduced to staff, faculty, administrators, and a variety of resources that help facilitate the transition into college while enhancing awareness of support services in the Athletic Department and across campus.

PERSONAL COUNSELING

Student-athletes will find a supportive and caring environment at Nebraska. Transitional issues, stress management, time management, academic focus and problem resolution are all addressed in a proactive manner throughout the year. If necessary, counseling referrals are also made to designated practitioners.

COMPUTER RESOURCES

All student-athletes are provided the opportunity to have a laptop for use during their academic career at Nebraska. The Herman Student Life Complex has printers and desktop computers available for student-athletes to use in the facility.

LIFE SKILLS





AMANDA BURGOYNE, ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME



ESTEFANIA PRIETO, ARTHUR ASHE JR. SPORTS SCHOLAR



RAQUEL OROZCO, SAM FOLTZ HERO 27 AWARD



SERVICE TRIP TO PANAMA, 2017



ATHLETIC MEDICINE



ALTER-G TREADMILLS

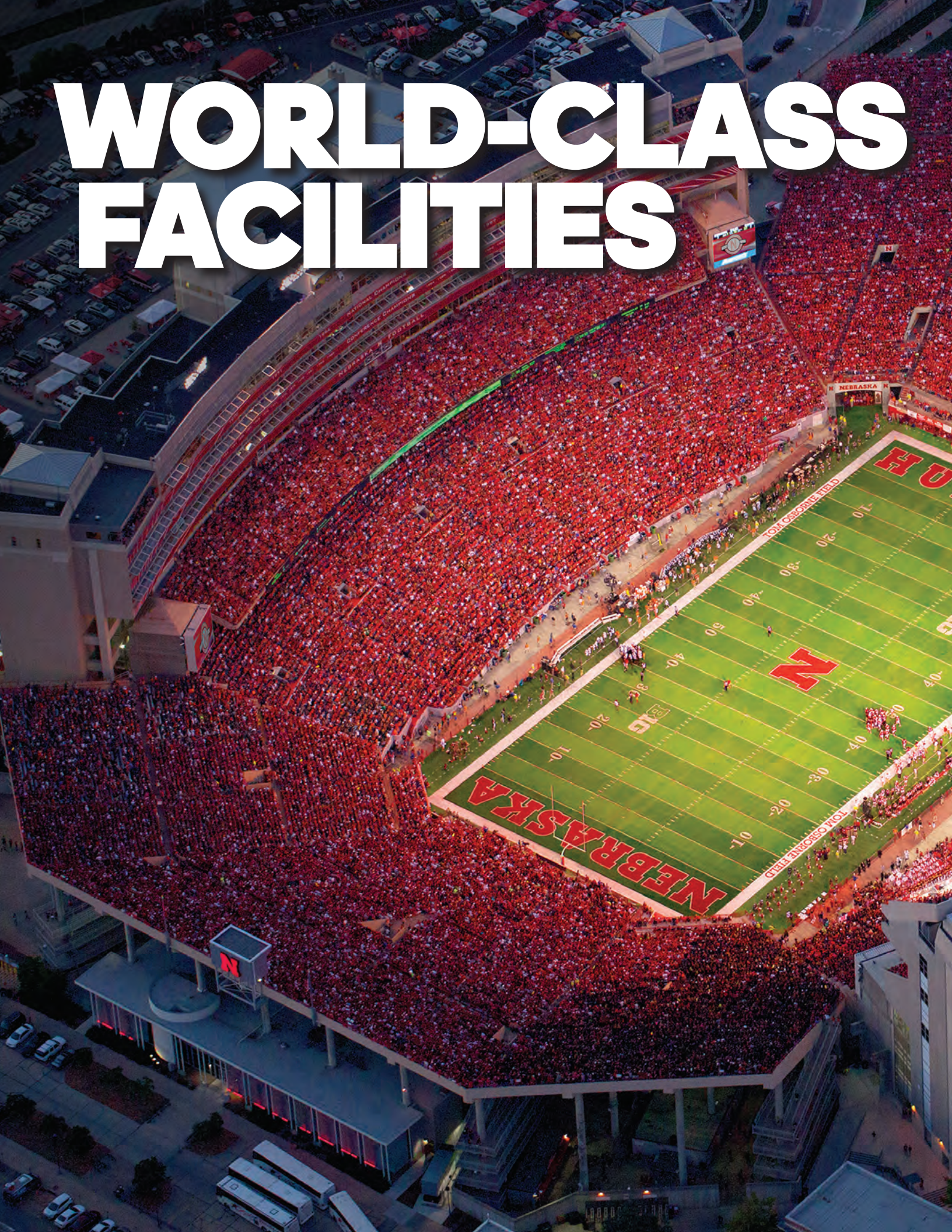


HYDROTHERAPY POOLS



ON-SITE X-RAY FACILITY

WORLD-CLASS FACILITIES





PINNACLE BANK ARENA



HAWKS FIELD



BOB DEVANEY SPORTS CENTER



BARBARA HIBNER STADIUM



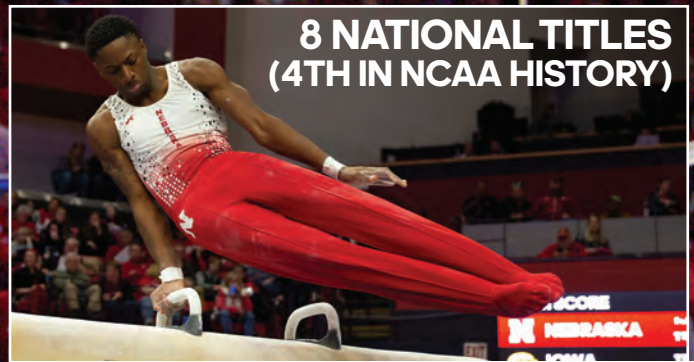
NATIONAL POWERS

FIVE VOLLEYBALL NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS
(3RD IN NCAA HISTORY)



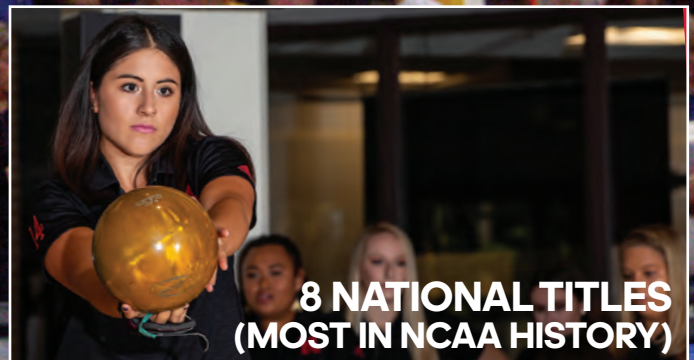
**5 NATIONAL TITLES
(2ND MOST SINCE 1970)**

FOOTBALL



**8 NATIONAL TITLES
(4TH IN NCAA HISTORY)**

MEN'S GYMNASTICS



**8 NATIONAL TITLES
(MOST IN NCAA HISTORY)**

BOWLING

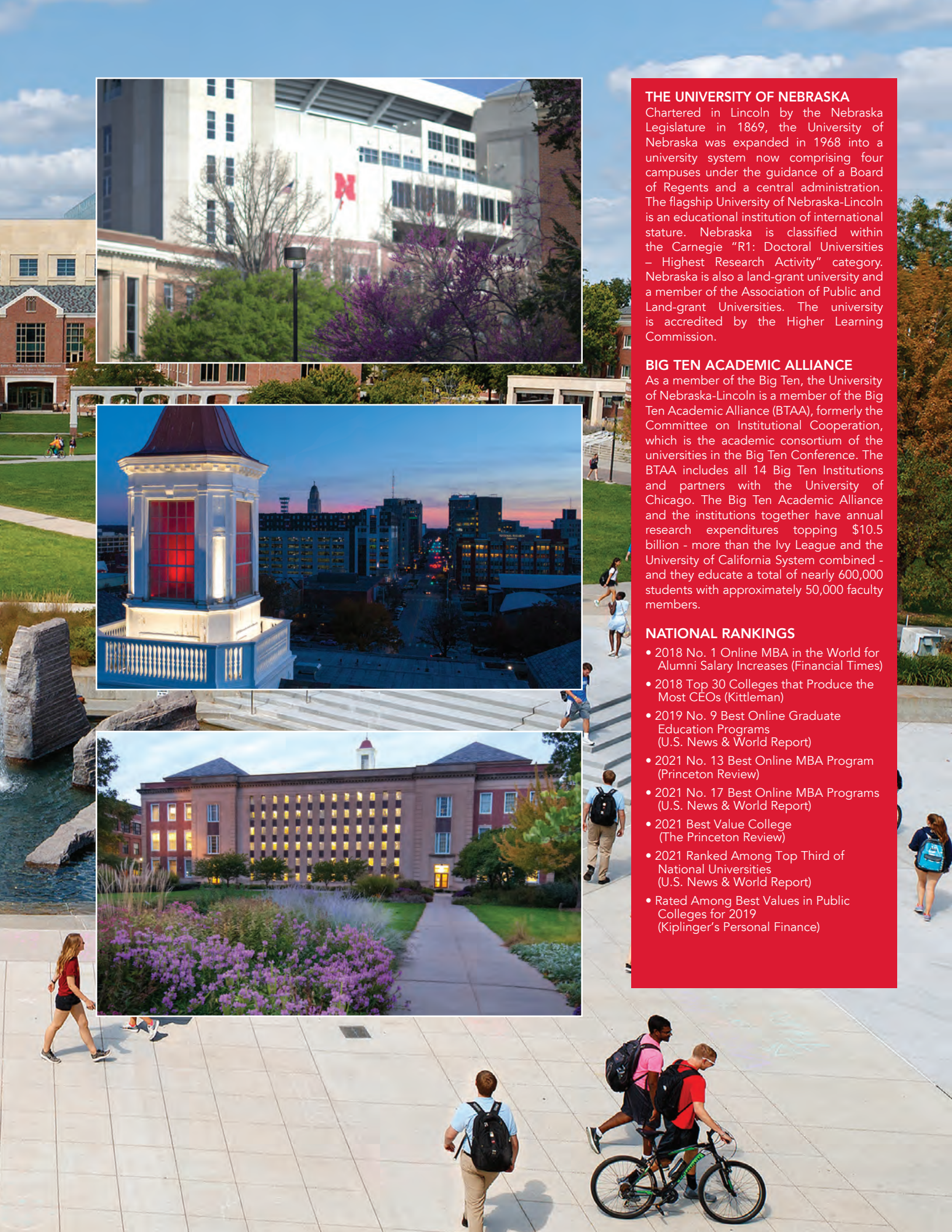


**3 INDOOR
NATIONAL TITLES
(4TH IN NCAA HISTORY)**

WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA





THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Chartered in Lincoln by the Nebraska Legislature in 1869, the University of Nebraska was expanded in 1968 into a university system now comprising four campuses under the guidance of a Board of Regents and a central administration. The flagship University of Nebraska-Lincoln is an educational institution of international stature. Nebraska is classified within the Carnegie "R1: Doctoral Universities – Highest Research Activity" category. Nebraska is also a land-grant university and a member of the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities. The university is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.

BIG TEN ACADEMIC ALLIANCE

As a member of the Big Ten, the University of Nebraska-Lincoln is a member of the Big Ten Academic Alliance (BTAA), formerly the Committee on Institutional Cooperation, which is the academic consortium of the universities in the Big Ten Conference. The BTAA includes all 14 Big Ten Institutions and partners with the University of Chicago. The Big Ten Academic Alliance and the institutions together have annual research expenditures topping \$10.5 billion - more than the Ivy League and the University of California System combined - and they educate a total of nearly 600,000 students with approximately 50,000 faculty members.

NATIONAL RANKINGS

- 2018 No. 1 Online MBA in the World for Alumni Salary Increases (Financial Times)
- 2018 Top 30 Colleges that Produce the Most CEOs (Kittleman)
- 2019 No. 9 Best Online Graduate Education Programs (U.S. News & World Report)
- 2021 No. 13 Best Online MBA Program (Princeton Review)
- 2021 No. 17 Best Online MBA Programs (U.S. News & World Report)
- 2021 Best Value College (The Princeton Review)
- 2021 Ranked Among Top Third of National Universities (U.S. News & World Report)
- Rated Among Best Values in Public Colleges for 2019 (Kiplinger's Personal Finance)

THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

INNOVATION CAMPUS, CITY CAMPUS & DOWNTOWN LINCOLN

75 MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMS

150+ UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

500+ STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

24,431 TOTAL ENROLLMENT

130+ COUNTRIES REPRESENTED

50 STATES REPRESENTED

200,000+ LIVING ALUMNI



CITY CAMPUS



OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CENTER



MULTICULTURAL CENTER



COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

**“LINCOLN IS
CLEARLY
ON THE RISE.”**

VIA SILICON PRAIRIE NEWS

NO. 1 MOST CONTENT CITY
24/7 WALLSTREET

HAPPIEST CITY IN AMERICA
GALLUP WELL-BEING INDEX

**NO. 1 CITY IN BEST PLACES
FOR BUSINESS AND CAREERS**
VIA FORBES

**NO. 2 CITY IN HIGHEST
QUALITY OF LIFE**
HUFFINGTON POST

NO. 6 BEST COLLEGE TOWN
AIER

**TOP 10 MOST BEAUTIFUL
CITIES IN THE USA**
THE CULTURE TRIP

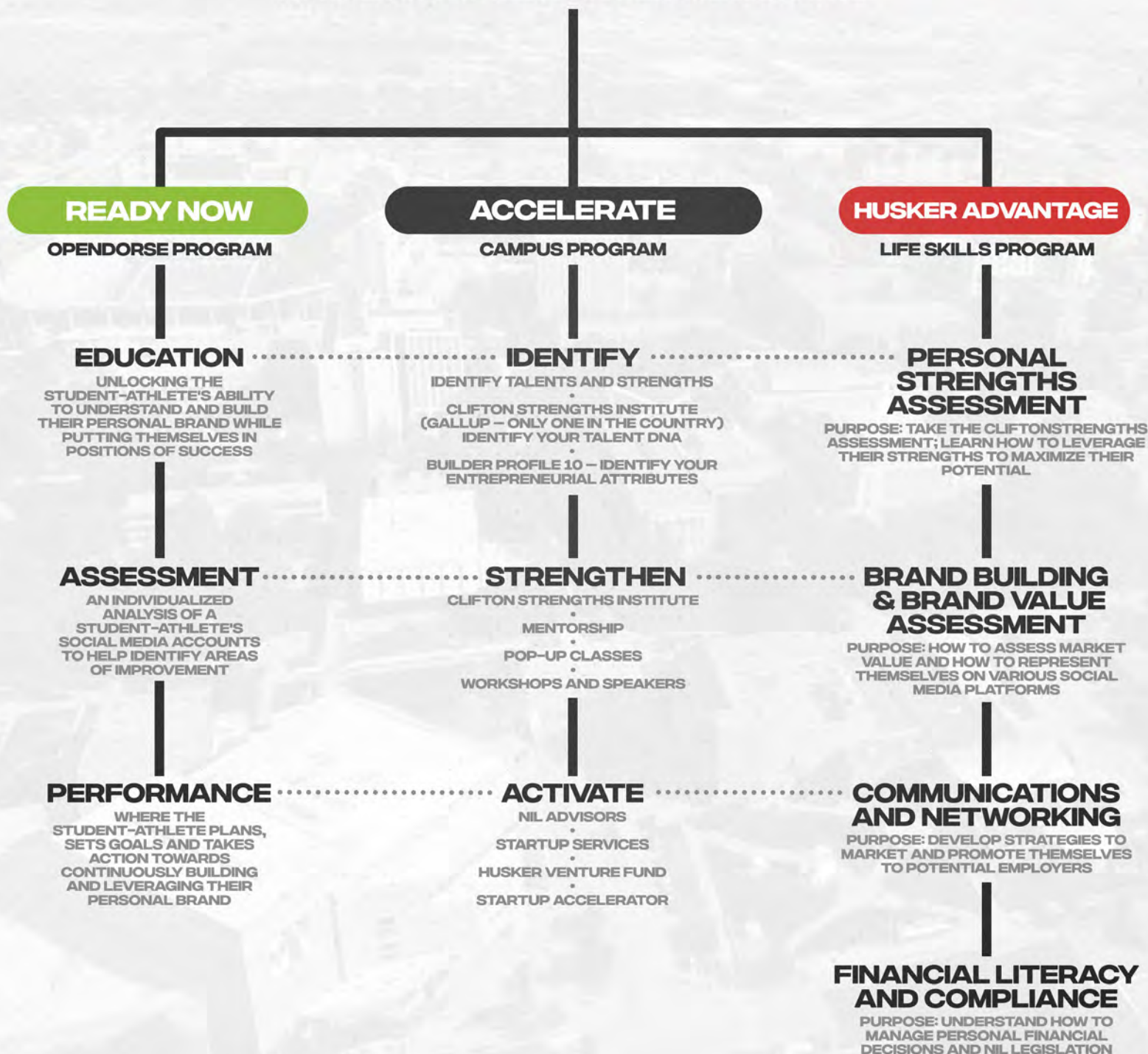


1 OF THE 75

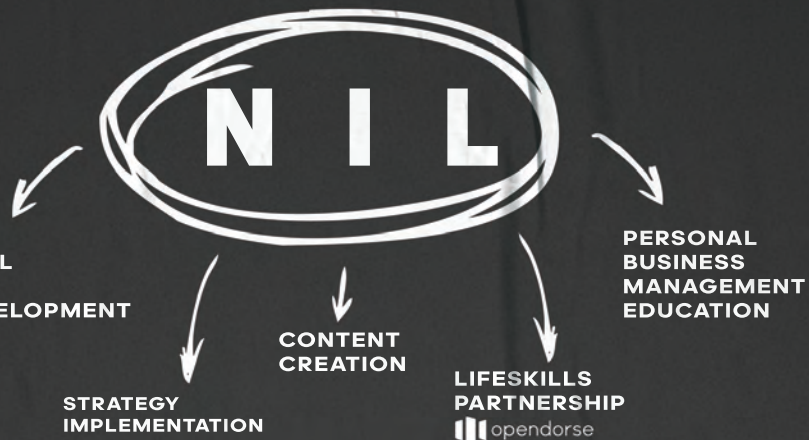
LARGEST
CITIES IN
THE U.S.

#NILBRASKA

A UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN INITIATIVE



READY **NOW** PROGRAM



PARTNER WITH **N** → POSITION **YOURSELF** FOR THE FUTURE

NEBRASKA WAS THE **FIRST** TO LAUNCH A PROGRAM TO PREPARE STUDENT-ATHLETES FOR NIL

NEBRASKA IS THE **ONLY** SCHOOL IN THE COUNTRY TO GET CONSULTANTS AND EDUCATION SESSIONS FOR **EVERY** STUDENT-ATHLETE

READY NOW
OPENDORSE PROGRAM

GROWTH LESSON

EDUCATION

UNLOCKING THE STUDENT-ATHLETE'S ABILITY TO UNDERSTAND AND BUILD THEIR PERSONAL BRAND WHILE PUTTING THEMSELVES IN POSITIONS OF SUCCESS

COMMENTS

LEAD TO FOLLOWERS

ASSESSMENT

AN INDIVIDUALIZED ANALYSIS OF A STUDENT-ATHLETE'S SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS TO HELP IDENTIFY AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT

REPLIES

LEAD TO FOLLOWERS

PERFORMANCE

WHERE THE STUDENT-ATHLETE PLANS, SETS GOALS AND TAKES ACTION TOWARDS CONTINUOUSLY BUILDING AND LEVERAGING THEIR PERSONAL BRAND

CONVERSATION

CONVERSATION OUTSIDE OF YOUR SPORT (YOUR INTERESTS) LEAD TO FOLLOWERS

Huskies





PAUL KLEMPA
HEAD COACH | THIRD SEASON

Education: B.A. in Psychology,
University of Nebraska

Family: Wife: Leanna; Sons: Jake and Carter

HONORS & AWARDS

- Eight National Titles (1999, 2001, 2004, 2005, 2009, 2013, 2015, 2021)
- 49 bowlers have made a combined 90 NTCA All-Academic teams
- 36 bowlers have made a combined 74 NTCA All-America teams
- 14 bowlers have been selected to national teams

Paul Klempa begins his third season leading the Husker bowling program in 2021-22, as he was tabbed to replace legendary coach Bill Straub on Sept. 3, 2019.

Klempa, who has been a part of the Husker program since it was elevated to varsity status in 1997, has been instrumental in building Nebraska bowling into a dynasty over the past quarter century. Since becoming an NCAA sport in 2004, the Huskers have won a nation-leading six national titles and finished runner-up on four more occasions.

Klempa spent 22 seasons as an assistant, serving a majority of the 2013-14 season as NU's interim head coach, before taking over prior to the 2019-20 season. In his first two seasons as head coach, Klempa has put his own stamp on the program, coaching a pair of NTCA Bowlers of the Year, five All-Americans and guiding the Huskers to the national title in 2021.

The 2021 season continued the Huskers' success under Klempa, as the program won its sixth NCAA title and first since 2015. Crystal Elliot was named NCAA Tournament MVP and NTCA Player of the Year, as she ranked in the top three nationally in traditional average and baker frame average. Kayla Verstraete and Cassidy Ray also earned All-America honors, while NU posted top-five finishes in all six tournaments. Klempa was named the NTCA National Coach of the Year for his efforts.

While Klempa's first season was shortened by the COVID-19 pandemic, the Huskers finished the season ranked third nationally, while Raquel Orozco was named NTCA Division I Bowler of the Year and was selected as Nebraska's Female Student-Athlete of the Year.

Klempa's association with the Nebraska bowling program dates back to 1992. After a collegiate career in which he earned All-America honors as a senior in 1994, Klempa remained in Lincoln and was hired as the Huskers' assistant coach in 1997 - the first season bowling became a varsity sport at Nebraska.

During his tenure at Nebraska, Klempa has helped guide the Huskers to eight national championships - including back-to-back NCAA titles in 2004 and 2005, and NCAA championships in 2009, 2013, 2015 and 2021. In the 18 years that the NCAA has sponsored bowling, Nebraska is the only program to have qualified for the NCAA Championship in every season. He has tutored eight National Collegiate Bowlers of the Year, 35 bowlers who have combined for 74 NTCA All-America awards and 14 student-athletes who went on to represent various national teams.

A native of Johnstown, N.Y., Klempa graduated from Nebraska in 1994 with a degree in psychology. He owns several 300 games and 800 series in his decorated career, has represented Nebraska in the U.S. Open and is also a State Match Game champion. Klempa and his wife, Leanna, reside in Lincoln and have two sons, Jake and Carter.





JULIA BOND

ASSISTANT COACH | FIRST SEASON

Education: B.A. in Forensic Science
University of Nebraska, 2019

HONORS & AWARDS

- Two-time PWBA Winner
- U.S. Amateur champion (2017)
- U.S. Amateur runner-up (2018)
- NCAA Bowling Championship Most Outstanding Bowler (2015)
- NTCA All-American (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018)
- NCAA All-Tournament Team (2015, 2016)
- NTCA Scholastic All-American (2015, 2016)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2016, 2017, 2018)
- Five-Time Team USA Member
- Four-Time Junior Team USA Member

Julia Bond is in her first season as an assistant coach after joining the Husker coaching staff in September of 2021.

"We are all pleased to welcome Julia Bond back into our Husker Bowling family. She will do great things for the program, and we are all excited to have her join us in our quest for back-to-back national championships," said Klempa. "Julia had an incredible Husker career and has gone on to find success in the professional ranks. This summer, she won the prestigious Queen's title on the professional tour. These experiences will help her to guide our players and pass along her knowledge of competing at an elite level. Julia is a fierce competitor who never does anything halfway. She will bring that fire into her new position, and we will all welcome it."

Bond, a four-time All-American as a collegian, returns to her alma mater after winning a pair of events on the Professional Women's Bowling Association in 2021, highlighted by United States Bowling Congress Queens in May. She has also been a member of Team USA since 2017. Before turning professional, she was the 2017 U.S. Amateur Champion and earned runner-up honors the following year.

"I'm extremely excited to be returning," said Bond. "It was amazing to be a part of the program as a player, but now being on the other side as a coach is an absolute honor. Collegiate bowling has a special place in my heart and to be involved again at my alma mater is more than I could ever ask for."

As a Husker, Bond enjoyed one of the most decorated careers in program history. She finished her career third in career average (210.092) and won six events and posted 21 top-five finishes in her career. In 2015, she was named the Most Outstanding Bowler at the NCAA Championships, helping the Huskers to an NCAA title. She was a two-time NCAA All-Tournament selection, helping the Huskers to a national title and two NCAA runner-up finishes.

Bond, who graduated from Nebraska in 2019 with a degree in forensic science, also shined in the classroom. She was a two-time NTCA Scholastic All-American (2015-16) and a three-time Academic All-Big Ten selection (2016-17-18). She was a nine-time member of the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll.



BOWLING SUPPORT STAFF



**ELLEN
SHUTTS**
SECRETARY

Ellen Shutts began working at the University in 1980, and currently serves as the secretary for wrestling, as well as bowling, and the men's and women's tennis programs.

From 1987 to 2006, Shutts served as the secretary for the men's basketball program.

Before joining the athletic department, Shutts was a secretary for the Nebraska Student Union's Food Department.

Ellen and her husband, Rob, have a daughter, Erin, a son, Ryan, and five granddaughters.



**SHERI
HASTINGS**
ACADEMIC COUNSELOR

Sheri Hastings serves as an academic counselor at Nebraska. Hastings has been with the athletic department since August of 2006. She serves as the academic counselor for the women's basketball, soccer, men's and women's gymnastics and bowling programs.

In 2020-21, the Husker bowling team finished the academic year with a team GPA of 3.209 to rank among the national leaders. Three Huskers were named to the NTCA All-Academic Team while seven bowlers were named Academic All-Big Ten.

Hastings' work with the bowling program has helped Nebraska earn recognition from the NCAA for having a multi-year Academic Progress Rate (APR) in the top 10 percent nationally in each of the past three years.

Before coming to Lincoln, Hastings was a mathematics learning specialist for Student Support Services at UNL. She was also a secondary mathematics teacher at Grand Island High School.

A Grand Island native, Hastings earned her bachelor's degree in secondary mathematics from UNL in 1987. Hastings continued her education at Nebraska and earned a master's degree in educational psychology in 1995.

Hastings and her husband, John, have three daughters, Megan, Kathryn and Abigail.



**TOM
DUFRESNE**
ATHLETIC TRAINER

Tom Dufresne enters his 24rd year as head women's gymnastics physical therapist and athletic trainer in 2021-22, and serves as the athletic trainer responsible for bowling and women's golf. Dufresne also assists in the coordination of rehabilitation for Nebraska's Olympic sports, including men's and women's tennis, volleyball, men's and women's track and field and softball.

A former head student athletic trainer at Nebraska, Dufresne joined the Husker athletic medicine staff as an assistant athletic trainer and physical therapist in 1997. He previously served as an assistant athletic trainer at UCLA for nine years before receiving his master's degree in physical therapy in 1991 at Samuel Merritt College in Oakland, Calif.

Originally from Ventura, Calif., Dufresne graduated from Nebraska in 1980. His brother, Mark, was a letterman on the NU football team in 1976 and 1977.

Tom and his wife, Lffat, have been married for 37 years.



**STACEY
BURLING**
LIFE SKILLS DIRECTOR/EDUCATION & ENGAGEMENT

A member of the Nebraska Athletics Department since 2009, Stacey Burling serves as the Director of Education & Engagement Programs in the Life Skills & Enrichment Department.

Burling individually meets with and provides guidance and support to student-athletes from men's basketball, bowling, football, golf, and soccer. Additional responsibilities include facilitating community outreach requests seeking student-athletes, coordinating all other major outreach events, and playing a major role in the success of the annual student-athlete achievement event, "A Night at the Lied".

Burling assists with new student orientation, major Life Skills events/workshops, and the Post-Eligibility Opportunities (PEO) program. She is responsible for the planning, facilitation, and marketing of N-volved, a leadership group focused around social climate and interpersonal skills. She has also worked closely with the College of Business Administration coordinating efforts with the Masters in Intercollegiate Athletics Administration Program.

A graduate of Texas A&M University, Burling earned her bachelor's degree in Sport Management with a minor in Business Administration in 2009. She earned her a master's degree in Marketing, Communication Studies and Advertising from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 2012, as well as a master's degree in Critical & Creative Thinking from the University of Nebraska-Omaha in 2021.



**BRIAN
KMITTA**

STRENGTH & CONDITIONING COACH

Brian Kmitta joined the Nebraska Athletic Department staff as an assistant strength coach in 2009 and he was promoted to the Director of Olympic Sports Performance in July of 2019. Kmitta serves as the strength and conditioning coach for track and field, volleyball and bowling.

Since Kmitta began working with the Nebraska volleyball program in 2014, the Huskers have won two NCAA titles (2015 and 2017) and two Big Ten titles (2016 and 2017). Kmitta has trained 95 All-Americans in his career in volleyball, track and field, tennis and gymnastics. He also has trained Olympic gold medalist wrestler Jordan Burroughs, who is a four-time world champion.

Originally from South Bend, Ind., Kmitta graduated from Anderson University, where he received his bachelor's degree in physical education in 2004. In his final year in college, Kmitta worked as a student assistant for the football team's offensive line, and as strength and conditioning coach.

After graduation, Kmitta served as assistant running backs coach and strength and conditioning coach at Anderson. He then spent a year at the University of Louisville as an intern strength and conditioning coach, before coming to Nebraska as an intern in the strength and conditioning program in 2006.

Kmitta is a CSCS certified strength and conditioning specialist and an NSCA registered strength and conditioning coach.

Kmitta and his wife, Sarah, have four children: Brian III, Agnes, and twins John and Edwin.



**DAVID
CLARE, M.D.**

TEAM PHYSICIAN AND ORTHOPAEDIC SURGEON

Dr. David Clare joined Nebraska's medical staff in 2007 as an orthopaedic surgeon. The son of Nebraska's former Chief of Staff Dr. Pat Clare, David joined his father and colleagues at Nebraska Orthopaedic & Sports Medicine, P.C. in 1999.

Born and raised in Lincoln, Dr. Clare completed his undergraduate studies at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln where he was a member of the Cornhusker football team from 1985-1988. He also attended and played football at Nebraska Wesleyan in 1989. He received his medical degree from the University of Nebraska Medical Center. His residency was done at the University of Texas Health Science Center followed by a Fellowship in Sports Medicine and Adult Reconstruction.

Clare's experience as a collegiate athlete complements his sports medicine fellowship training; he also has extensive fellowship training in adult reconstruction of the hip and total joint replacement. Clare is Board Certified in Orthopaedics and Sports Medicine and is a member of the American Orthopaedic Society of Sports Medicine.



**BOB
BURTON**

EXECUTIVE ASSOCIATE AD/FACILITIES

Bob Burton joined the Huskers in 1998 and serves as Executive Associate Athletic Director. Burton handles the facilities master plan for the athletic department and serves as the liaison to Haymarket Park, working with the Lincoln Saltdogs. In that role, he helps set the budget for field and stadium operation costs and create strategic plans for the facility. Burton is also the sport administrator for the bowling, men's and women's gymnastics, men's and women's golf, swimming and diving and wrestling programs.

Burton also oversees multiple support areas within the athletic department, including facilities and maintenance, capital planning and construction, event management, computing services and concessions. He also serves on the Big Ten Sports Management Committee.

Burton joined the athletic department in 1998 as an associate athletic director for compliance/sports administration. He served in that role until 2007, ensuring that the conduct and operations of Nebraska's athletic teams were in compliance with NCAA, Big 12 and institutional rules and regulations. He also performed as the primary sports administrator for many of Nebraska's teams.

Burton filled a similar position at Oklahoma State as the assistant athletic director for sports administration and compliance from 1993 to 1997. He oversaw OSU's Olympic sports programs as well as the training and strength and conditioning, wrestling, men's and women's track and field and men's and women's tennis programs.

Burton came to Nebraska from Texas Tech, where he served as an associate athletic director for compliance for one year. While at Texas Tech, Burton helped complete the NCAA investigation into the Red Raider athletic department and analyzed the entire compliance system at the institution. He also helped identify and implement financial aid and eligibility systems, including changes in personnel and restructuring of the compliance department.

Burton, who was a member of the NCAA Division I women's soccer committee for three years and was a member of the NCAA Division I bowling committee, served as a legislative administrator for the NCAA from 1989 to 1993. At the NCAA, he was involved in the development of legislation, interpretation of regulations and reviewed legal issues related to the application of the association's regulations. He served as an NCAA liaison to committees and conducted comprehensive education to several intercollegiate athletic conferences. He has served on the National Association of Athletic Compliance Coordinators Executive Committee and the subcommittee of Big 12 Directors of Compliance.

He received his bachelor's degree in finance from Nebraska in 1985 and his juris doctorate from the Nebraska College of Law in 1989. A native of Falls City, Neb., Burton and his wife, Krista, have a daughter, Elly Kathryn, and sons Robert Falk, McClain John and Abram Lawslo.

HUSKERS LOOK FOR SECOND STRAIGHT NCAA TITLE IN 2021-22



Junior Crystal Elliott returns to NU after earning NTCA Bowler-of-the-Year honors. She had four top-10 finishes in five events in 2021.

The Nebraska bowling team is excited about the prospects for the 2021-22 season after bringing home their sixth NCAA title last season. The Huskers will have a full schedule in 2021-22 after having just five meets because of the COVID-19 pandemic last season.

The Huskers look forward to the challenge of repeating as national champions in 2020-21. Despite winning six NCAA titles, NU has repeated only once since the sport became an NCAA sport in 2003-04.

After winning National Bowler-of-the-Year honors in 2021, Crystal Elliott was promoted to co-captain this season alongside seniors Michelle Guarro and Cassidy Ray. This year, NU returns its top seven bowlers along with a trio of redshirts and freshman Anna Callan. NU has a lot of experience with two seniors and four juniors among its roster.

NU also retooled its coaching staff after the departure of assistant coach Shannon Pluhowsky, but adds another former Husker legend, as Julia Bond joined the coaching staff in September. Bond, a former four-time All-American at NU, recently won two Professional Women's Bowling Association events in 2021.

Michelle Guarro is one of the most experienced bowlers on the team. She competed at all five tournaments during the 2020-21 season and the NCAA championships, contributing as the lead bowler every game. During the regular season, Guarro averaged 191.64 and averaged a season-high 211.25 at the Big Red Invitational.

"Every season she gets better than the last," Klempa said. "She asserts herself as a starter and solid lead off bowler and looks like it will be the same while she continues to improve."

Two-time All-American Cassidy Ray returns for her second year as co-captain after earning third-team NTCA All-America honors last season. She raised her average by more than five pins per game, with a mark of 208.11. She had a pair of top-10 finishes, highlighted by her seventh-place performance with a 226.75 average at the Big Red Invitational. Ray has only improved with her time as a Husker and is prepared to finish strong in her final season.

"Cassidy is striving for another All-American title this season," said Klempa. "She continues to be a solid contributor to the team as one of our captains."

Crystal Elliott made an immediate impact in her first season as a Husker after transferring from Duquesne. She competed at every tournament and the NCAA Championship, averaging a 213.00 with three top-five finishes in five events. She averaged a 200 or better in four tournaments, including a season-best of 231 at the Big Red Invitational. Elliott earned several

accolades including First-Team All-American, NCAA Tournament MVP, and NTCA Bowler of the Year.

"Last year, we made the necessary adjustments putting her as the anchor on the team," Klempa said about Elliott. "This year she is more comfortable and back with a vengeance."

Kendyl Hofmeister competed in every event during her sophomore year. Her highlight of the season was at the Big Red Invitational with an average of 223. She has been a standout in the classroom, earning Academic All-Big Ten honors in 2021. With another year of experience, Hofmeister looks to become a regular in the lineup this coming season.

"Kendyl is steady and dependable," Klempa said. "She is fighting for



Michelle Guarro bowled in 25 tournaments as a Husker, including the 2021 NCAA Championships.



Kayla Verstraete earned second-team All-American honors in 2021 and had three top-10 finishes.

starting time and it could be this season where she becomes a regular starter."

Following her breakout season, Gwen Maeha made two appearances in the 2020-21 season, including the NCAA Championships. She finished in the top-10 at the Prairie View Invitational with an average of 201. As Maeha continues to improve, she continues to fight for a regular lineup spot.

"Last season was her breakout season," Klempa said about Maeha. "Gwen was able to play on television, and I look for her to continue to improve this season."

Amara Smith Speights returns to the team after competing in two tournaments last season. She finished her season with her best average of 190 at the NCAA Championships. She rounded out the season by winning

the Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholar Award. With her continued dedication and improvement, Smith Speights will push for a spot in the Husker lineup.

"Amara has had a steady career so far," said Klempa. "Last year was her best year so far and if she continues to improve, she can contribute in a big way."

Kayla Verstraete returns to the lineup after a strong 2021 season where she was a second-team All-American and was named to the NTCA All-Freshman Team. She averaged a 213.00 in four regular-season events and posted three top-20 finishes. Her best event was the Big Red Invitational, where she placed third with an average of 233.5. She also earned runner-up honors at the Music City Classic. Verstraete looks to solidify her place as a regular in Nebraska's lineup.

"Last year was Kayla's first year of collegiate competition," Klempa said. "She will be looking for another All-America honor, and is just starting to scratch the surface of her potential."

Marissa Cosentini returns to NU after her first year on the team. As a member of the team, she earned the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team honors. Cosentini will continue to improve to fight for play time.

"Marissa is pushing for playing time," said Klempa. "She has a lot of natural ability and made strides during her redshirt season. She has a lot of natural ability and has the talent to perform at a high level."

Alexia Cassman returns to the team after walking on to the Husker program. She earned a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the Fall of 2020. Cassman looks to keep pushing for her time to bowl.

"Alexia is determined to be a regular starter," Klempa said. "She is the hardest worker on the team and is patiently waiting for her opportunity."

Alexis Buchert returns to the team after redshirting her first season. She earned a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll last spring and was named to the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team. With a year of experience, she is poised to make a jump in 2021-22.

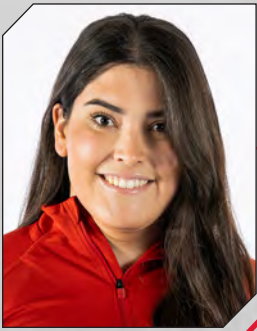
"Alexis has made really good progress," said Klempa. "She is really driven and has been taking her game to the next level. She is an excellent student and an excellent person."

Freshman Anna Callan was a four-time single state qualifier and a two-time team-state qualifier in her native Wisconsin. In 2021, she was crowned a champion of the Junior Bowler Scholars Tour. In 2020, she claimed another championship title at the Midwest Youth Championships. Callan will look to break into a talented Husker rotation this season.

"Anna is our lone freshman this season," Klempa said. "She is a really solid player as a freshman, and I expect her to be challenging for playing time right away. Anna is very coachable, and I am looking for big things from her this year and in the future."



Gwen Maeha competed in a pair of events in 2020-21, earning her first top-10 finish at the Prairie View Invitational.



MICHELLE GUARRO

GRADUATE STUDENT
GUADALAJARA, MEXICO | LINCOLN SCHOOL
FOUR LETTERS

MANAGEMENT

HONORS & AWARDS

- Team Co-Captain (2020-21, 2021-22)
- NTCA All-Academic Team (2018)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2019, 2020, 2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2017, 2019; Spring 2018, 2019, 2021)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2018, 2019, 2020, 2021)
- Four-Time Junior Team Mexico Member (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Michelle Guarro (pronounced wah-RO) was the lead bowler throughout the 2020-21 season. She will help lead the Huskers as they work toward their goal of a back-to-back national championship.

2020-21 (SENIOR)

Guarro was the lead bowler in the lineup and co-captain for the national champion Huskers in 2020-21. She competed at all five regular-season tournaments and in the NCAA Championships. Guarro's season-high finish was 18th at the Big Red Invitational with an average of 211.25. She finished the season with an average of 187.25. Guarro was named Academic All-Big Ten for the second consecutive year and also earned a spot on the 2021 Tom Osborne Citizenship team.

2019-20 (JUNIOR)

Guarro was in the Huskers' lineup throughout the season, competing in five of NU's nine tournaments. She raised her numbers across the board, averaging a 191.8 in 16 traditional lineup games, while making significant improvement both strike and spare percentages in all competitions. Guarro also averaged a 193.3 per game in baker format. She bowled 200 or better in six of her 16 games in the lineup, including a season high of 238 in the Columbia 300 Saints Invitational. That was her best competition performance, as she placed 17th overall with a pinfall of 989. Guarro was named Academic All-Big Ten for the second consecutive year while also earning a spot on the Tom Osborne Citizenship team for her outreach work.

2018-19 (SOPHOMORE)

Guarro earned a spot in Nebraska's starting rotation and continued to improve throughout her sophomore year. She competed in nine of NU's 10 tournaments, recording her highest pinfall of the season (1,025) at the Columbia 300 Saints, where she finished with a 205.0 average. Guarro finished with a season average of 190.7 in traditional games, while also averaging a 180.5 in baker games. She also excelled outside the lanes, earning Academic All-Big Ten honors and a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the spring semester. She was also a member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

2017-18 (FRESHMAN)

Guarro added depth to the Husker lineup as a freshman, competing in five tournaments for the Big Red. Her best individual effort came at the Big Red Invitational with a total pinfall of 734. She posted a 182.1 average in traditional games, while also averaging a 192.9 in baker format. Guarro earned a spot on the NTCA All-Academic Team and was a member of the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll. She was also selected to the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Guarro brought a wealth of international experience to the Huskers,

as a four-time member of Junior Team Mexico. She won a gold medal competing in Team of Four at the 2014 Central America Tournament. She also won bronze medals in Master's at the 2015 CONCECABOL Tournament and at the 2016 International Friendly Competition in Doha, Qatar. Guarro-Sanchez bowled a high game of 280 and a high three-game series of 750 during her youth career. She was coached by Carlos Olivera as a youth bowler.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Francisco Guarro and Olivia Sanchez, Michelle was born Oct. 9, 1997. She has two brothers, Diego and Rodrigo. An NTCA All-Academic Team selection in 2018, she added Academic All-Big Ten honors in 2019 and 2020. She is a four-time member of the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll. She also was named to the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team in each of the past three seasons. She is also working with NU Life Skills in the N-Vest program which aids in the transition, retention, graduation and preparation of underrepresented student-athletes.

CAREER STATS

Year	Events	Baker		Traditional			1st	T-5	T-10
		GP	Avg.	GP	Pinfall	Avg.			
2017-18	5	10.2	192.9	8	1,457	182.1	0	0	0
2018-19	9	22.2	180.5	21	4,006	190.8	0	0	0
2019-20	5	21.3	193.3	16	3,069	191.8	0	0	0
2020-21	6	33.1	193.6	28	5,354	191.21	0	0	0
Totals	25	73.8	189.65	73	13,886	190.22	0	0	0

2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Columbia 300 Saints	1,088	6	181.33	21st
Prairie View Invitational	511	3	170.33	48th
Big Red Invitational	1,690	8	211.25	18th
Music City Classic	695	4	173.5	75th
Mid-Winter Classic	1,180	6	196.67	38th
NCAA Championship	190	1	190.00	NP
Season	5,354	28	190.22	

2019-20 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

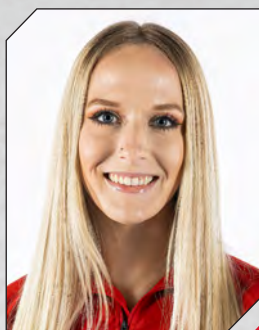
Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Bearcat Hammer Open	325	2	162.5	99th
Track Kat Klash	774	4	193.5	52nd
SFA Jacks Invite	981	5	196.2	32nd
Columbia 300 Saints	989	5	197.8	17th
Season	3,069	16	191.8	

2018-19 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Track Kat Klash	597	3	199.0	78th
Warhawk Classic	988	5	197.6	33rd
Mid-Winter Classic	712	4	178.0	81th
Columbia 300 Saints	1,025	5	205.0	40th
Prairie View A&M Invite	165	1	165.0	76th
NCAA Championship	519	3	173.0	NP
Season	4,006	21	190.7	

2017-18 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Crusader Classic	723	4	180.7	43rd
Big Red Invitational	734	4	183.5	38th
Season	1,457	8	182.1	



CASSIDY RAY

SENIOR
HERRIN, ILL. | HERRIN
THREE LETTERS

CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

HONORS & AWARDS

- Team Co-Captain (2020-21, 2021-22)
- NTCA All-American (Third Team, 2021; Honorable Mention, 2020)
- NTCA All-Academic Team (2018, 2019, 2020)
- Big Ten Distinguished Scholar (2019, 2020, 2021)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2019, 2020, 2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020; Spring 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021)
- Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award (2021)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2018, 2019, 2020, 2021)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Cassidy Ray returns to lead the Huskers after earning All-American honors in each of the past two seasons. Ray is a three-year starter who has improved her average each year of her career. She will be one of the anchors for the 2021-22 Huskers.

2020-21 (JUNIOR)

Ray was named one of the 2020-21 co-captains and her success helped lead the team to the NCAA Championship. A third-team NTCA All-American, Ray finished in the top-10 twice, posting seventh-place showings at the Big Red Invitational (226.75) and the Mid-Winter Classic (218.17). She earned top-20 finishes in all five regular-season tournaments in 2020-21. Her season average of 208.11 ranked third on the team. Ray, who earned second-team NTCA All-Central Region honors, also claimed Academic All-Big Ten accolades for the third consecutive year and received the 2021 Sam Foltz 27 Hero Leadership Award.

2019-20 (SOPHOMORE)

Ray was one of the Huskers' top bowlers in 2019-20, earning NTCA All-America honors for the first time in her career. She competed in all nine events and was in the lineup in traditional format in NU's final eight events. Ray was third on the team in average (201.10) and raised her scoring average nearly 11 points the 2018-19 season. On the year, Ray also made significant improvement in both her strike (43 to 48) and spare (81 to 86) percentages. She opened the year with a second-place showing at the Track Kat Klash, averaging a season-best 217.60 in five games. Ray's second top-five finish occurred at the 300 Saints Invitational, when she averaged a 209.40 in five traditional games, highlighted by a single-game high of 289. In all, she bowled 200-or-higher in 20 of 39 games. Ray also shined in the classroom, as she was named a Big Ten Distinguished Scholar with a GPA of 3.70 or better during the 2019-20 academic year.

2018-19 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)

Ray competed in all 10 tournaments, including a season-best sixth-place individual finish in her season-best performance at the season-opening Bearcat Hammer Open. She posted a season-best 212.4 average at the event. Ray added a 13th-place finish (209.4 average) at the Big Red Invitational and ended her season with a 189.6 average. In baker format, she averaged a 191.7 while competing in all 10 meets. Ray earned Academic All-Big Ten honors and was a member of the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in both the fall and spring semesters of 2018-19. Ray was also a Big Ten Distinguished Scholar. Ray also claimed a spot on the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

2017-18 (FRESHMAN)

Ray redshirted during the 2017-18 season and worked hard to add depth to the Husker roster. She was a member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Ray was a four-time Illinois High School Association State Tournament qualifier for coaches Barry Hubbard and Brad Carey at Herrin High School. She finished seventh individually at the IHSA state tournament in 2014 and helped her team to a 10th-place finish in 2016. Ray also posted an 11th-place finish at the 2014 Illinois Pepsi USBC Youth Championship State Finals. She bowled a high game of 277 as a high school bowler. She also participated in volleyball and softball in high school. Ray was a member of the National Honor Society and she was also involved in the marching band, French Club and Future Business Leaders of America.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Les and Becky Ray, Cassidy was born on Feb. 25, 1999. She has one sister, Mackenzie. Cassidy is a criminology and criminal justice major at Nebraska. She is a three-time NTCA All-Academic Team honoree and is a two-time Academic All-Big Ten performer. She is a six-time Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll selection and a three-time member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

CAREER STATS

Year	Events	Baker		Traditional		1st	T-5	T-10
		GP	Avg.	GP	Pinfall			
2017-18		Redshirt						
2018-19	10	51.9	191.70	32	6,068	189.62	0	0
2019-20	9	58.5	201.40	39	7,843	201.10	0	2
2020-21	6	48.3	202.50	36	7,514	208.72	0	0
Totals	25	158.7	198.53	107	21,425	199.81	0	2

2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

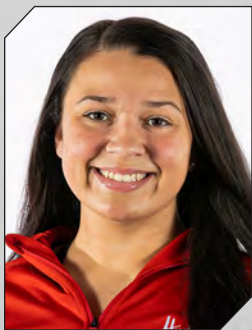
Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Columbia 300 Saints	1,146	6	191.00	11th
Prairie View Invitational	958	5	191.60	18th
Big Red Invitational	1,814	8	226.75	7th
Music City Classic	1,034	5	206.80	11th
Mid-Winter Classic	1,309	6	218.17	7th
NCAA Championship	1,253	6	208.80	NP
Season	7,514	36	208.72	

2019-20 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Track Kat Klash	1,088	5	217.6	2nd
SFA Jacks Invite	534	3	178.0	71st
Stormin' Blue & White Vegas Classic	1,053	5	210.6	13th
Columbia 300 Saints	1,047	5	209.4	5th
Prairie View Invitational	1,158	6	193.0	22nd
Mid-Winter Classic	932	5	186.4	44th
Big Red Invitational	1,043	5	208.6	11th
Music City Classic	988	5	197.6	32nd
Season	7,843	39	201.1	

2018-19 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Bearcat Hammer Open	1,062	5	212.4	6th
Track Kat Klash	378	2	189.0	90th
Mid-Winter Classic	351	2	175.5	113th
Columbia 300 Saints	156	1	156.0	73rd
Prairie View A&M Invite	894	5	178.8	46th
Sunshine State Classic	913	5	182.6	31st
SFA Stormin' Ladyjack Invite	1,119	6	186.5	32nd
Big Red Invitational	1,047	5	209.4	13th
NCAA Championships	148	1	148.0	NP
Season	6,068	32	189.6	



CRYSTAL ELLIOTT

JUNIOR
PALM BAY, FLA. | LINCOLN SCHOOL
ONE LETTER

CHILD, YOUTH & FAMILY STUDIES

HONORS & AWARDS

- Team Co-Captain (2021-22)
- NTCA Bowler of the Year (2021)
- NTCA First-Team All-American (2021)
- NCAA Tournament MVP (2021)
- NTCA First-Team All-Central Region (2021)
- Nebraska Athletics Outstanding Female Newcomer (All Sports, 2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2020)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2021)
- Four-Time Northeast Conference Rookie of the Week in 2019-20
- Four-Time Gold Medalist at 2019 Tournament of the Americas
- 2018-19 TNBA Player of the Year.
- Three-Time Junior Team USA (2018, 2020, 2021)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Crystal Elliott put together a dominant debut campaign for the Huskers, earning NTCA Bowler of the Year and NCAA Tournament MVP honors in her first season at NU. Elliott anchored the Husker lineup and earned four top-10 finishes in five regular-season events. One of three co-captains, she looks to help Nebraska repeat as NCAA Champions for the first time since 2004-05.

2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

In her first season with the Huskers, Elliott was named the 2021 National Tenpin Coaches Association Bowler of the Year. Elliott was the eighth Husker to capture the award, and first since Liz Kuhlkin in 2015. The 2021 Most Outstanding Player of the NCAA Championship match, Elliott led the team with a season average of 213.472, which placed her sixth all-time on NU's single-season list. Elliott finished the season with three top-five and four top-10 finishes highlighted by a third-place performance at the Mid-Winter Invite (228.33).

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Elliott competed at Duquesne University in 2019-20, where she was a four-time Northeast Conference Rookie of the Week. She bowled 25 traditional games for the Dukes, averaging 196.1. In all, 13 of her 25 games were over 200, including a pair of games over 240. Elliott was chosen as the NEC Bowler of the Week after averaging a 204.2 and being named the Mount Shootout MVP. On the national level, Elliott is a two-time Junior Team USA member (2018, 2020) and won four gold medals in the 2019 Tournament of the Americas in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. She has six top-five finishes at the U.S. Teen Masters, including a runner-up finish in 2017 and earned a pair of top-five finishes at the U.S. High School Bowling Championships. A four-time state qualifier, she placed fourth on two occasions. Elliott had a high game of 300 and high series of 814.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Denise Elliott, Crystal is a double major in elementary education and special education at Nebraska.

CAREER STATS

Year	Events	Baker		Traditional		1st	T-5	T-10
		GP	Avg.	GP	Pinfall			
2020-21	6	49.2	213.90	36	7,685	213.00	0	3
Totals	6	49.2	213.90	36	7,685	213.00	0	3

2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Columbia 300 Saints	1,270	6	211.66	4th
Prairie View Invitational	966	5	193.20	15th
Big Red Invitational	1,848	8	231.00	4th
Music City Classic	1,037	5	207.40	10th
Mid-Winter Classic	1,370	6	228.33	3rd
NCAA Championship	1,194	6	199.00	NP
Season	7,685	36	213.00	





KAYLA VERSTRAETE

SOPHOMORE
LOVES PARK, ILL | HARLEM
ONE LETTER

CRIMINOLOGY & CRIMINAL JUSTICE

HONORS & AWARDS

- NTCA All-American (Second Team, 2021)
- NTCA All-Freshman Team (2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Spring 2020, 2021)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2020, 2021)
- U.S. Singles Champion (2018)
- Illinois State Champion (2017, 2018)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Kayla Verstraete burst on the scene as a redshirt freshman and sparked the Huskers to their first NCAA title since 2015. The Loves Park, Ill., native moved into the lineup early in the year and began her Husker career with three straight top-10 finishes. One of three returning All-Americans, she will be counted on to be a mainstay of the NU lineup in 2021-22.

2020-21 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)

Verstraete had a breakout season as a redshirt freshman, as she was named second-team NTCA All-American and NTCA All-Freshman. Verstraete, averaging 213.00 on the year, made her first career appearance at the Prairie View Invitational to place ninth with an average of 199.00. Building off her performance, Verstraete went on to earn a third place finish at the Big Red Invitational with a season-high average of 233.5. The next week she placed second at the Music City Classic, one of the largest competitions the Huskers went to this season, to bowl a 216.80 over five games. Verstraete was named to the second-team All-Region Central Team and helped lead the team to the NCAA Championship.

2019-20 (REDSHIRT)

Verstraete redshirted in her first year in the husker program. She performed well in the classroom, earning a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the spring semester.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Verstraete joined the Huskers with an impressive high average of 210 and high series of 777. The two-time Illinois state champion (2017, 2018) not only has a nearly-perfect high game of 299 but was the 2018 U.S. Singles Champion. Verstraete placed sixth individually at the national bowling tournament in 2019. She had previously won the tournament in 2018. She helped her team to national titles in 2017, 2018 and 2019.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Michele and Mark Verstraete, Kayla is majoring in criminology and criminal justice at Nebraska. She earned a spot on the Tom Osborne Citizenship team in both 2020 and 2021 for her community service work.

CAREER STATS

Year	Events	Baker		GP	Traditional		1st	T-5	T-10
		GP	Avg.		Pinfall	Avg.			
2020-21	5	40.4	202.8	30	6,390	213.00	0	2	3
Totals	5	40.4	202.8	30	6,390	213.00	0	2	3

2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Prairie View Invitational	995	5	199.00	9th
Big Red Invitational	1,868	8	233.00	3rd
Music City Classic	1,084	5	216.80	2nd
Mid-Winter Classic	1,233	6	205.50	26th
NCAA Championship	1,210	6	201.60	NP
Season	6,390	30	213.00	





GWEN MAEHA

JUNIOR
WAHIAWA, HAWAII | LEILEHUA
LETTERS

CHILD, YOUTH & FAMILY STUDIES

HONORS & AWARDS

- NTCA All-Academic Team (2020)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2019, 2020, 2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2018, 2019; Spring 2020)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019, 2020, 2021)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Gwen MaeHa (pronounced MY-ay-hah) has been a contributor in the Husker lineup throughout her career and played a significant role in the Huskers' 2021 NCAA title. Last year, she competed in a pair of tournaments and earned her first career top-10 finish. This season, MaeHa will look to challenge for a spot in the Huskers' starting lineup.

2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

MaeHa patiently waited for her opportunity to bowl for the Huskers and earned a spot in the lineup at the Prairie View Invitational. At the event, MaeHa bowled a 201.00 over five games to earn her first career top-10 finish, placing seventh. She averaged 191.00 at the NCAA Championships to help the Huskers to the national title. MaeHa finished the season with a 196.00 average. In the classroom, she earned Academic All-Big Ten honors for the third consecutive season and was named to the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll and 2021 Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

2019-20 (REDSHIRT)

MaeHa redshirted during the 2019-20 campaign, as she continued to make improvements in her game. She was a standout in the classroom, earning Academic All-Big Ten honors, and was named to the NTCA All-Academic Team in 2020.

2018-19 (FRESHMAN)

MaeHa made two tournament appearances for the Huskers as a true freshman, competing for the Big Red at the SFA Stormin' Ladyjack Invitational and at the NCAA Championships. She averaged a 135.8 in baker format. She earned a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the fall of 2018, and was a member of the 2019 Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

MaeHa was a three-time Hawaiian state champion bowler under Coach Chad Pojas. She also won the OIA Girls Championship. She graduated magna cum laude from Leilehua High School.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Samuel MaeHa and Donna Oyamot-MaeHa, Gwen was born on May 14, 2000. She has one sister, Jaydi Oyamot, and one brother, Gordon MaeHa. Gwen is majoring in elementary education and is a three-time member of the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the fall of 2018. She is also a three-time member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team for her performance in the classroom.

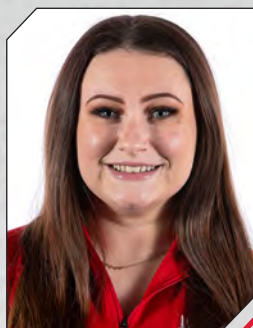
CAREER STATS

Year	Events	Baker		Traditional			1st	T-5	T-10
		GP	Avg.	GP	Pinfall	Avg.			
2018-19	2	1.2	135.8	0	0	000.0	0	0	0
2019-20		Redshirt							
2020-21	2	21.3	185.2	10	1,960	196.00	0	0	1
Totals	4	22.5	182.6	10	1960	196.00	0	0	1

2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Prairie View Invitational	1,005	5	201.00	8th
NCAA Championship	955	5	191.00	NP
Season	960	10	196.00	





KENDYL HOFMEISTER

JUNIOR
ESSEXVILLE, MICH. | GARBER
TWO LETTERS

CHEMISTRY & CHEMISTRY EDUCATION

HONORS & AWARDS

- NTCA All-Academic Team (2020)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2020, 2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2019; Spring 2020)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2019, 2020, 2021)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Kendyl Hofmeister regularly contributed to the team's success in 2020-21, competing in all six tournaments, including the NCAA Championships. She is poised to make a jump this season and is one of the contenders for a regular lineup spot.

2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

Kendyl Hofmeister returned to Nebraska's lineup to contribute in every tournament in 2020-21 while helping the Huskers to the NCAA Championship. She posted a season average of 195.00, which ranks fifth on the team, and a tournament high of 205.5 at the Mid-Winter Classic, finishing in the top-25. Hofmeister was named Academic All-Big Ten for the second consecutive year and also earned a spot on the 2021 Tom Osborne Citizenship Team.

2019-20 (REDSHIRT FRESHMAN)

Hofmeister broke into the Husker lineup throughout the season, appearing in seven of the Huskers' nine regular-season tournaments. She averaged a 186.9 in baker format appearances, while raising her average to a 188.5 in traditional format. She bowled in the individual lineup on two occasions, the final two games of the Track Kat Klash, where she averaged a season-best 194.50, and four games of the Columbia 300 Saints Invite. In that tournament, she rolled a season-high 213, one of two games over 200 on the season. She earned spots on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete honor roll in both semesters en route to capturing Academic All-Big Ten honors.

2018-19 (REDSHIRT)

Hofmeister redshirted as a freshman with the Huskers in 2018-19, adding depth to the Husker roster.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Hofmeister bowled for Coach Jim Tesner, placing third at the boys' state tournament and seventh and 17th at the girls' states singles. She earned a spot on the Michigan All-Academic Team. She won two titles from the Michigan Junior Masters Association. Hofmeister graduated summa cum laude from Garber High School in Essexville, Mich., in 2018. She earned high academic honors all four years and was a member of the Michigan All-Academic Team.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Dale and Lisa Hofmeister, Kendyl was born on May 2, 2002. Kendyl has one brother, Braedyn. Kendyl is majoring in secondary education (chemistry) at Nebraska. She is a three-time member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team for her work in the community.

CAREER STATS

Year	Events	Baker		GP	Traditional		1st	T-5	T-10
		GP	Avg.		Pinfall	Avg.			
2019-20	7	13.9	186.9	6	1,131	188.50	0	0	0
2020-21	4	26.4	201.5	20	3,900	195.00	0	0	0
Totals	11	40.3	194.2	26	5,031	193.50	0	0	0

2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Columbia 300 Saints	1,136	6	189.50	15th
Prairie View Invitational	151	1	151.00	67th
Big Red Invitational	223	1	223.00	66th
Music City Classic	960	5	192.00	34th
Mid-Winter Classic	1,233	6	205.50	25th
NCAA Championships	197	1	197.00	NP
Season	3900	20	195.00	

2019-20 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Track Kat Klash	389	2	194.5	80th
Columbia 300 Saints	742	4	185.5	69th
Season	1,131	6	188.5	





AMARA SMITH SPEIGHTS

JUNIOR
WOODBIDGE, VA | FREEDOM
TWO LETTERS

PSYCHOLOGY & ETHNIC STUDIES

HONORS & AWARDS

- Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholar Award (2021)
- Academic All-Big Ten (2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2019, 2020; Spring 2020)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2020, 2021)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Amara Smith Speights continues to improve during her Husker career, culminating in an appearance at the 2021 NCAA Championships. The Woodbridge, Va., native has worked hard to put herself in position to crack a talented Husker lineup. Her work off the lanes was recognized, as she was named an Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholar in 2021.

2020-21 (SOPHOMORE)

Smith Speights built off her success as a freshman to make appearances for the Huskers in four tournaments in 2020-21. She bowled in eight games for an average of 187.25, including an appearance in the final frame of the 2021 NCAA Championships. Smith Speights was an Arthur Ashe Jr. Sports Scholar and was named Academic All-Big Ten, while also making the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll.

2019-20 (FRESHMAN)

Smith Speights showed her potential early on, as she competed in six tournaments as a true freshman, making the individual lineup five times. On the year, she averaged 192.3 over 16 games rolled in traditional games, while averaging 195.9 in baker format. She posted a pair of top-20 finishes in her initial campaign. Smith Speights capped her freshman year with her best performance, averaging a team-high 212.0 at the Music City Invitational to finish 11th overall. She bowled her three highest scores of the season in the event, including a season-best 228. Smith Speights also excelled in the classroom, earning a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in both semesters.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Smith Speights holds four high games of 300 in her career, including the first one when she was just 12. She owns a high series of 791 and a high average of 227. Speights is a four-time Virginia State Pepsi USBC Youth Championship winner and placed seventh (U15) and ninth (U20) in 2014 and 2017, respectively, at Junior Gold. In the classroom, she graduated Summa Cum Laude and was in the National Honor Society.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Teri Smith and Frederick Speights, Amara is majoring in psychology and ethnic studies at Nebraska. She was named to the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team in both 2020 and 2021 as part of her work in the Lincoln community.

CAREER STATS

Year	Events	Baker		Traditional			1st	T-5	T-10
		GP	Avg.	GP	Pinfall	Avg.			
2019-20	6	19	195.9	16	3,076	192.30	0	0	0
2020-21	5	15.6	183.5	8	1,498	187.25	0	0	0
Totals	11	34.6	195.9	24	4,574	190.58	0	0	0

2020-21 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Big Red Invitational	1,308	7	186.60	48th
NCAA Championship	190	1	190.00	NP
Season	1,498	8	187.25	

2019-20 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average	Finish
Bearcat Hammer Open	944	5	188.8	18th
Track Kat Klash	337	2	168.5	86th
SFA Jacks Invite	368	2	184.0	79th
Stormin' Blue & White Vegas Classic	367	2	183.5	68th
Music City Classic	1,060	5	212.0	11th
Season	3,076	16	192.3	





ALEXIS BUCHERT

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS | WILLIAM H. TAFT

MATHEMATICS EDUCATION

HONORS & AWARDS

- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2020)
- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2021)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Alexis Buchert (pronounced BUE-kurt) returns to the team looking to build her skills and assist the Huskers toward their goal of returning to the NCAA Championship.

2020-21 (FRESHMAN)

Buchert redshirted in 2020-21. She excelled academically by making the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll in the fall of 2020.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Buchert competed for Taft High School and Coach Ernest Moya, helping the school make a pair of state tournament appearances (2017 and 2019), while qualifying for the state championships on three occasions (2017-19). As a senior, she averaged a 204 and won district and regional individual titles before the state tournament was canceled because of COVID-19. Buchert also claimed the Texas Pepsi State Bowling Champion title in 2015, 2016, and 2017. In 2018, Buchert placed third in the U-20 category at the Storm Youth Championships. She qualified for the Junior Gold Championships five times, most recently in 2019. She has bowled a 299 game and posted a high series of 715. She was a four-time academic all-district pick while also competing in cross country and track at Taft HS.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Charles and LaRonda Buchert, Alexis is majoring in secondary mathematics education. She was a Tom Osborne Citizenship Team in 2021.



ALEXIA CASSMAN

SOPHOMORE
LAS VEGAS, NEV. | SHADOW RIDGE

BIOLOGY & FORENSIC SCIENCE

HONORS & AWARDS

- Academic All-Big Ten (2021)
- Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll (Fall 2020; Spring 2021)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

A walk-on, Alexia Cassman returns for her second season and adds depth to the Husker lineup.

2020-21 (FRESHMAN)

Cassman joined the team as one of three freshmen and redshirted in 2020-21. She earned Academic All-Big Ten honors and a spot on the Nebraska Scholar-Athlete Honor Roll.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Cassman was a one of the top youth bowlers in the state of Nevada, competing for Coach Nikkole Turner at Shadow Ridge High School for four seasons. A three-time all-state performer, she was a first-team all-state pick in 2019, averaging a 190.72 and leading Shadow Ridge to a Class 4A state title. Cassman earned a pair of top-five finishes at the state tournament, placing fourth as a freshman and fifth as a senior. Cassman had a high game of 268 and a high series of 681, both set as a senior. She earned four varsity letters in both bowling and tennis in high school. In the classroom, she was a three-time scholar-athlete at Shadow Ridge.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Arthur Cassman, Alexia is a biology and forensic science major at Nebraska.



MARISSA COSENTINI

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN
WAYNE, N.J. | WAYNE VALLEY

PSYCHOLOGY

HONORS & AWARDS

- Tom Osborne Citizenship Team (2021)
- New Jersey All-Decade Bowling Team (2019)
- Three-Time New Jersey All-State (2018, 2019, 2020)

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Marissa Cosentini returns to the Huskers to help the team work toward their goal of returning to the NCAA Championship.

2020-21 (FRESHMAN)

Cosentini did not compete during the 2020-21 season but added depth to the roster. She will look to compete in future years.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Cosentini was a standout performer for Coach Jason Wilke at Wayne Valley High School. On the national level, she was a four-time Junior Gold qualifier and was in the Teen Masters in both 2017 and 2018. Cosentini was three-time all-state performer, including first-team accolades in 2019. For her efforts, she was named to New Jersey's All-Decade bowling team in 2019. Cosentini, who has a high game of 299 and a high series of 747, finished fourth at the state championship as a senior, highlighted by a 280 game in the state tournament. A four-time nominee for bowler of the year, she had the top average in the state in 2019 and earned top-five finishes in each of her tournaments as a senior.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Joe and Georgette Cosentini, Marissa is majoring in psychology at Nebraska. She was a member of the Tom Osborne Citizenship Team in 2021.



ANNA CALLAN

FRESHMAN
LA CROSSE, WIS. | HOLMEN

NUTRITION & HEALTH SCIENCES

HONORS & AWARDS

- Four-time Wisconsin State Qualifier
- 2020 Midwest Youth Bowling Champion

2021-22 (OUTLOOK)

Anna Callan joins the Huskers as the sole freshman this season, looking to break into the rotation. She will add depth, as NU returned its entire lineup from last year's NCAA title team.

BEFORE NEBRASKA

Callan was a very accomplished bowler in the state of Wisconsin, competing for Coach Chaz Callan at Holmen High School. She was a four-time state singles qualifier and a two-time state team qualifier. In 2021, she was crowned a champion of the Junior Bowler Scholars Tour. In 2020, she claimed another championship title at the Midwest Youth Championships. She was also crowned champion of the Minnesota Junior Bowling Tour in 2018. She earned First-Team All-Star Honors all four years of high school and won three conference titles three times. In the classroom, she was a member of Holmen's honor roll.

PERSONAL

The daughter of Jill and Chaz Callan, Anna is majoring in nutrition & health sciences at Nebraska.

RESILIENT HUSKERS WIN SIXTH NCAA TITLE



Nebraska won its first national title since 2015, rallying back from a first-round loss en route to its sixth NCAA title.

It has not happened very often in Nebraska bowling history where the Huskers were on the brink of early postseason elimination, but 2021 was unlike any season in school history.

From a compressed schedule to one of the most youthful rosters in program history, the Huskers faced obstacles throughout the season, none bigger than the opening day of the 2021 NCAA Championships in Kansas City. The Huskers, the No. 2 overall seed, dropped a stunning first-round match to unheralded Medaille, putting Nebraska in the consolation bracket against Mount St. Mary's with the loser ending its season early.

Competing in the Mega Match format, the Huskers fell behind by losing the traditional match and needed to win the final two matches in the format to stave off elimination. It looked bleak for the Huskers, who fell behind by 76 pins

in the best-of-five game format, but NU rallied and pulled within six heading into the final game. The Huskers completed the rally with a 215-160 victory, converting on a pair of strikes while Mount St. Mary's had two consecutive open frames. The Huskers then won the final match, 4-1 to keep their season alive.

"Today was a real struggle for most of the day," Head Coach Paul Klempa said after the first day of NAAs. "But the team responded when their season was on the line and found a way to show grit and determination to stay alive in the bracket. I was proud of how the team refused to lose when their backs were against the wall."

With a roster that featured just two bowlers with previous NCAA experience and just three juniors and seniors, it took a while for the Huskers to find the optimum lineup. Nebraska

had just five regular season tournaments – all in the spring – and started slowly before posting back-to-back runner-up finishes at the Music City Classic and the Mid-Winter Invitational.

The Huskers battled back to eliminate Medaille, setting up a showdown with Vanderbilt with a berth in the championship round on the line. The Huskers needed to beat the Commodores twice to advance. After dropping the traditional game, 1,003-952, the Huskers won the five-game baker match as the lineup of Michelle Guarro, Gwen Maeha, Kayla Verstraete, Cassidy Ray and Crystal Elliott powered the Huskers to the best-of-seven baker match, which the Huskers won in five games to set up a rematch.

Once again, it came down to the final game in the best-of-seven format as the teams split the first six games. Nebraska came through late, posting a 214-191 win in the decisive game to advance to the championship round.

"With their season on the line at all times and a long road to get through the regional bracket, they continued to persevere, grind and perform like champions," Klempa said. "Cassidy and Crystal made extremely clutch shots when their team needed them most in a game seven for all the marbles. It was an incredible performances under intense pressure. Maeha also made several key shots throughout the match that helped set things up for her teammates."

The Huskers continued to build the momentum against Arkansas State in the semifinal, posting a 2-0 victory. NU won the traditional match with a 1,096-1,075 victory as Elliott and Verstraete each posted a 247 while Ray added a 224 for the Big Red. NU completed the sweep winning the Baker match, 1,046-1,033, to set up a showdown with top-seeded McKendree.

Despite solid scores from Elliott (221) and Verstraete (201), the Huskers lost the traditional round, but took control in the Baker format. NU



Redshirt freshman Kayla Verstraete earned second-team All-America honors, as she posted three top-10 finishes in 2021

2020-21 NEBRASKA BOWLING SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Date	Tournament	Result
Jan. 22-24	at Columbia 300 Saints	4th/11
Jan. 29-31	at Prairie View Invitational	3rd/10
Feb. 26-28	Big Red Invitational	3rd/11
March 5-7	at Music City Classic	2nd/19
March 12-14	at Mid-Winter Classic	2nd/11
April 7-10	at NCAA Championship	1st/16

jumped to a 40-pin lead after one game and extended it to 76 en route to a 1,074-916 rout.

With the series tied, the two teams faced off in a best-of-seven baker match. McKendree won two of the first three games, but the Huskers roared by winning the next three games, including a 210-194 triumph in the finale, to advance to the national championship match for the 10th time in program history and a rematch with Arkansas State.

After dropping the opening game, Nebraska would find its rhythm in the second game. After two straight frames to open the contest, Verstraete, Ray and Elliott combined for three straight strikes for the Big Red, while Arkansas State had a couple of open frames to give NU a commanding lead on its way to a 235-194 victory.

Nebraska kept the pressure on in the following game, using five straight strikes to build a lead. Arkansas State closed with five straight strikes, but Elliott's spare in the 10th frame was more than enough to close out a 210-190 win. Nebraska started slowly in game four, but got three straight strikes from Verstraete, Ray and Elliott to build a 25-pin lead and move one game away from the title.

The finale was close early on, as Nebraska built an early 13-point lead after three frames, only to see Arkansas State come back with strikes in the fourth and fifth frames to take a nine-pin lead after five frames. Guarro got a spare in the sixth frame before Maeha, Verstraete and Ray rolled three straight strikes. ASU had open frames in both the seventh and eighth, giving the Huskers the victory.

"This team has worked so hard to get to this moment, and we took it and ran with it," Ray said after the win over Arkansas State. "After

Wednesday (losing in the first round), I wasn't sure what to expect, but we earned that win."

"This season has had its ups and downs, but honestly there is no better feeling in the world than bowling with these ladies and achieving the ultimate goal in collegiate bowling," said Elliott, who was named MVP of the NCAA Tournament.

"I could not be more proud of this group," Klempa said after the title match. "They just kept pushing and grinding until they reached their ultimate goal. The team executed both physically and emotionally exactly how we had planned and prepared."

The national title was the sixth NCAA title by the Huskers since 2004 and the eighth since bowling was elevated to varsity sport status at Nebraska in 1998.

The Huskers were recognized for their effort as Klempa was named the Bill Straub NTCA National Coach of the Year for guiding the Huskers to a season with six top-five finishes in just six events and an NCAA title.

Elliott capped her first year as a Husker by being named a first-team All-American and NTCA Bowler of the Year, as she ranked second nationally in traditional scoring (216.00) and third in baker format (21.35 per frame) during the regular season. She placed in the top-15 in all five regular season tournaments.

Elliott was one of three Huskers named All-American, joining Verstraete (second team) and Ray (third team). Verstraete had three top-10 finishes in five events, highlighted by a second-place finish at the Music City Classic. Ray, a team co-captain, garnered All-America honors for the second straight year and recorded top-20 performances in all five tournaments during the regular season.

2020-21 INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Michelle Guarro

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average
Columbia 300 Saints	1,089	6	181.5
Prairie View Invitational	511	3	170.0
Big Red Invitational	1,680	8	211.25
Music City Classic	906	5	181.2
Mid-Winter Classic	1,180	6	196.67
NCAA Championship	1,147	6	191.2
Season	6,513	34	191.559

Cassidy Ray

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average
Columbia 300 Saints	1,146	6	191.0
Prairie View Invitational	936	5	187.2
Big Red Invitational	1,814	8	226.75
Music City Classic	1,034	5	206.8
Mid-Winter Classic	1,309	6	218.17
NCAA Championship	1,253	6	208.8
Season	7,492	36	208.111

Crystal Elliott

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average
Columbia 300 Saints	1,270	6	211.66
Prairie View Invitational	966	5	193.2
Big Red Invitational	1,848	8	231.0
Music City Classic	1,037	5	207.4
Mid-Winter Classic	1,370	6	228.33
NCAA Championship	1,194	6	199.0
Season	7,685	36	213.472

Kendyl Hofmeister

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average
Columbia 300 Saints	1,136	6	189.5
Prairie View Invitational	151	1	151.0
Big Red Invitational	223	1	223.0
Music City Classic	960	5	192.0
Mid-Winter Classic	1,233	6	205.5
NCAA Championship	197	1	197.0
Season	7,737	20	195.000

Gwen Maeha

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average
Prairie View Invitational	1,005	5	201.0
NCAA Championship	955	5	191.0
Season	1,960	10	196.000

Amara Speights

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average
Big Red Invitational	1,308	7	186.6
NCAA Championship	190	1	190.0
Season	1,498	8	187.250

Kayla Verstraete

Event	Pinfall	Games	Average
Prairie View Invitational	995	5	199.0
Big Red Invitational	1,868	8	233.5
Music City Classic	1,084	5	216.8
Mid-Winter Classic	1,233	6	205.5
NCAA Championship	1,210	6	201.6
Season	6,390	30	213.000



Co-captain Cassidy Ray helped the Huskers earn top-five finishes in every tournament in 2021.

NEBRASKA BOWLING: UNMATCHED CHAMPIONSHIP TRADITION

In its 24 years as a varsity sport, Nebraska has become one of the top programs in the nation, winning eight national titles, including six NCAA Championships. Under Paul Klempa, who succeeded legendary coach Bill Straub in 2019, the Huskers have continued that dominance, winning a national title in 2021 and having back-to-back bowlers named the NTCA Division I Player of the Year.

In 2021, the Huskers rebounded from losing its opening match to win seven straight matches en route to the program's first NCAA title since 2015. Sophomore Crystal Elliott was named the tournament's Most Outstanding Player, capping a season where she also won NTCA Bowler of the Year. In 2020, Raquel Orozco was named the 2020 NTCA Division I Player of the Year, as the Huskers were in contention for the national crown before the season was cut short by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Straub built a legacy of success in his time at Nebraska bowling, winning seven national championships, including five NCAA titles since capturing the inaugural crown in 2004. Once bowling became an NCAA-sanctioned sport in the fall of 2003, the Huskers won back-to-back titles in 2004 and 2005 and captured another in 2009. The Huskers again added to their trophy case in 2013. After a runner-up finish in 2014, the Huskers stormed to their nation-leading fifth NCAA crown in 2015, behind National Tenpin Coaches Association Player of the Year Lizabeth Kuhlkin and NCAA Championship Most Valuable Bowler Julia Bond.

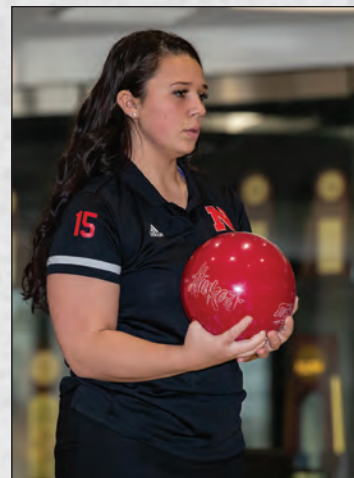
Nebraska has won 111 tournament titles in 232 competitions through the 2020-21 campaign including national championship tournaments. Straub and Klempa have created a dynamic foundation for Nebraska's success. With a world-wide approach to recruiting, Nebraska bowlers have been well-represented in national and international competitions.

A total of 14 Husker bowlers have qualified for their national teams, including U.S. National Team members Shannon Pluhowsky, Diandra Asbaty (Hyman), Brenda Edwards, Kayla Johnson, Elise Bolton, Lizabeth Kuhlkin and most recently Julia Bond. Recent Huskers Danielle van der Meer (Netherlands), Valerie Calberry (Canada), Shalima Zalsha (Indonesia), Tan Yan Ling (Singapore), Andrea Ruiz (Colombia), Bethany Hedley (England) and Alexandra Mosquera (Colombia) all have earned spots on their national team.

While the Husker team accomplishments have been paramount, numerous bowlers have also enjoyed individual success. NU has had at least one All-American in each of the last 28 years, dating back to the bowling club

program days. Since 1989, 36 Huskers have combined for a total of 78 All-America awards, while Kim Berke (1992), Diandra Hyman (2000), Shannon Pluhowsky (2001, 2004, 2005), Lindsay Baker (2006), Amanda Burgoyne (2007), Cassandra Leuthold (2010), Lizabeth Kuhlkin (2015), Raquel Orozco (2020) and Crystal Elliott (2021) were each chosen as the National Collegiate Bowler of the Year.

Nebraska has provided the vision of the future for collegiate bowling, championing the sport at the national level through its club program days. Straub and Klempa teamed for the first year of bowling as a varsity sport at Nebraska in 1997-98. The first year was historic in several respects, but most important was granting of the first full scholarship in the sport's history to Jennifer Daugherty, who went on to earn first-team All-America honors in both 1998 and 1999. In the 17 seasons that the NCAA has sanctioned bowling, Nebraska is the only program to qualify for the NCAA Championship every season.



Raquel Orozco (left) and Crystal Elliott won NTCA Collegiate Bowler-of-the-Year honors in 2020 and 2021. NU has had three NTCA Bowlers of the Year since 2015.

NTCA ALL-AMERICANS

Name	Year
Kim Berke	1989, 1990, 1991, 1992
Jennifer Wilson	1991
Carrie Machuga	1993
Shelly Machuga	1993
Andrea Rigby	1993, 1994, 1995, 1996
Brenda Edwards	1995, 1997
Brenda Norman	1996
Jennifer Daugherty	1996, 1997, 1998, 1999
Jennifer Davis	1998
Kimberly Claus	1998
Diandra Hyman	1999, 2000, 2001
Shannon Pluhowsky	2001, 2002, 2004, 2005
Kari Schwager	2002
Paola Gomez	2003
Amanda Burgoyne	2004, 2005, 2006, 2007
Lindsay Baker	2005, 2006, 2007, 2008
Jamie Martin	2005, 2006
Adrienne Miller	2005, 2007
Cassandra Leuthold	2007, 2008, 2009, 2010
Katie Ann Sopp	2008
Valerie Calberry	2009, 2012
Danielle van der Meer	2009, 2011
Kayla Johnson	2012
Kristina Mickelson	2012
Elise Bolton	2013
Lizabeth Kuhlkin	2013, 2014, 2015
Julia Bond	2015, 2016, 2017, 2018
Gazmine Mason	2015, 2016, 2017
Briana Zabierek	2016
Kelly Belzeski	2017, 2018
Meghan Straub	2017, 2018, 2019
Raquel Orozco	2018, 2019, 2020
Allison Morris	2019
Cassidy Ray	2020, 2021
Crystal Elliott	2021
Kayla Verstraete	2021

NTCA ALL-ACADEMIC TEAM

Name	Year
Kim Berke	1990, 1991, 1992
Shelly Machuga	1991, 1992, 1993
Andrea Rigby	1994, 1995, 1996
Brenda Edwards	1996, 1997
Kimberly Claus	1998, 1999, 2000
Lori Hillman	1998
Christine Couvillon	1999, 2000, 2001
Jennifer Daugherty	1999
Amanda O'Hayre	1999, 2000
Diandra Hyman	2000, 2001
Stacy Rogers	2000
Kari Schwager	2001, 2002
Christina Perez	2003
Melissa Stewart	2003
Karla Engh	2004, 2005, 2006
Stephanie McGinnis	2007
Kalyn Washburn	2007
Kaleena Henning	2008
Jasmine Laugerman	2008
Katie Ann Sopp	2008
Kayla Stram	2008
Valerie Calberry	2009, 2010, 2011, 2012
Kristina Mickelson	2010, 2011, 2012, 2013
Shalima Zalsha	2010, 2012
Danielle van der Meer	2011
Amanda Burau	2012, 2014
Sabrina Davis	2012
Nicole Lape	2012
Bethany Hedley	2013, 2015, 2016
Lizabeth Kuhlkin	2013
Andrea Ruiz	2013, 2014
Yan Ling	2014
Gazmine Mason	2014
Briana Zabierek	2014, 2015, 2016
Julia Bond	2015, 2016

Kelly Belzeski	2016, 2017, 2018
Melanie Crawford	2016
Julie Lohman	2016, 2017
Allison Morris	2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020
Raquel Orozco	2017
Estefania Prieto	2017, 2019, 2020
Meghan Straub	2016, 2017, 2018, 2019
Michelle Guarro	2018
Cassidy Ray	2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
Alexa Fernandez	2020
Leah Glazer	2020
Gwen Maeha	2020
Kendyl Hofmeister	2020
Alexis Buchert	2021
Amara Smith Speights	2021

NEBRASKA LETTERWINNERS & CAREER STATISTICS

Bowler	Hometown	Years Lettered	GP	Total Pinfall	Avg.	Events	1st	Top 5	Top 10
Nicole Aleo	Sterling Heights, Mich.	2003-04-05	43	7,777	177.839	12	0	0	0
Lindsay Baker	Amherst, N.Y.	2005-06-07-08	244	49,727	203.799	33	4	19	26
Christine Bator	Warren, Mich.	2008	50	9,743	194.800	7	0	2	3
Kelly Belzeski	Schererville, Ind.	2015-16-17-18	163	33,938	208.209	40	4	8	10
Elise Bolton	Merritt Island, Fla.	2012-13	43	8,537	198.500	8	0	0	1
Julia Bond	Aurora, Ill.	2015-16-17-18	282	59,246	210.092	49	6	21	20
Amanda Burgoyne	Newport, Minn.	2004-05-06-07	244	50,022	205.010	35	6	21	27
Emma-Louise Butchard	Edinburgh, Scotland	2007	21	4,044	192.500	5	0	0	0
Valerie Calberry	Brampton, Ontario	2009-10-11-12	164	31,590	192.621	24	1	5	10
April Campbell	Omaha, Neb.	2014-15	38	7,495	197.234	9	0	1	3
Kimberly Claus	Mesquite, Texas	1998-99-2000	163	32,859	201.589	20	2	5	8
Christine Couvillon	Baton Rouge, La.	1999-2000-01-02	196	38,098	194.378	25	0	1	4
Melanie Crawford	Plano, Texas	2015-16	100	20,213	202.130	19	0	1	5
Jennifer Daugherty	Bloomington, Ill.	1998-99	64	13,110	204.884	13	0	6	8
Jennifer Davis	Lincoln, Neb.	1998	37	7,276	196.648	5	0	3	3
Crystal Elliott	Palm Bay, Fla.	2021	36	7,685	213.472	6	0	3	1
Karla Engh	Sioux Falls, S.D.	2003-04-05-06	126	24,769	196.580	19	0	4	7
Kimberly Ferris	Orange, Calif.	1998	65	13,357	205.492	6	0	2	2
Paola Gomez	Bogota, Colombia	2002-03	103	20,228	196.388	15	1	4	6
Leah Glazer	Henderson, Nev.	2020	37	7,386	199.621	9	0	0	2
Michelle Guarro	Guadalajara, Mexico	2018-19-20-21	73	13,886	190.219	24	0	0	0
Bethany Hedley	Watford, England	2013-14-15-16	106	20,784	196.075	27	0	0	2
Kaleena Henning	North Platte, Neb.	2008-09-10	51	9,495	186.176	17	0	1	1
Kendyl Hofmeister	Essesville, Mich.	2020-21	26	5,031	193.500	11	0	0	0
Diandra Hyman	Dyer, Ind.	1999-2000-01-02	308	63,065	204.756	34	4	15	20
Kayla Johnson	Washington, Ill.	2011-12	85	17,358	204.164	17	0	3	3
Jennifer Johnston	Niagara Falls, N.Y.	1999	35	6,512	186.057	5	0	0	0
Sarah Koch	Ottawa, Ill.	2007	56	10,605	189.300	9	0	1	1
Lizbeth Kuhlkin	Schenectady, N.Y.	2012-13-14-15	209	44,079	210.904	32	7	11	24
Jasmine Laugerman	Brooklyn Center, Minn.	2008-09-10-11	129	24,803	192.271	30	1	2	3
Cassandra Leuthold	Rapid City, S.D.	2007-08-09-10	243	49,635	204.260	32	11	17	20
Yan Ling	Singapore	2011-12-13-14	89	17,373	192.500	8	0	0	1
Gwen Maeha	Wahiawa, Hawaii	2019-21	10	1,960	196.000	4	0	0	0
Jamie Martin	Omaha, Neb.	2003-04-05-06	198	39,691	200.460	32	1	9	14
Gazmine Mason	Cranston, R.I.	2014-15-16-17	172	35,861	208.494	36	2	7	10
Erin McCarthy	Omaha, Neb.	2009	40	7,705	192.600	7	1	2	2
Suzanne Medwell	Victoria, Australia	2001-02	114	23,153	203.096	14	2	4	7
Kristina Mickelson	Bellevue, Neb.	2010-11-12-13	155	30,721	194.000	34	0	5	5
Adrienne Miller	Albuquerque, N.M.	2004-05-06-07	239	47,765	199.854	34	1	14	19
Allison Morris	Ann Arbor, Mich.	2017-18-19-20	126	2,5071	198.976	29	2	4	9
Alexandra Mosquera	Armenia, Colombia	2014-15-17	4	573	191.000	5	0	0	0
Amanda O'Hayre	Northglenn, Colo.	1999-2000	229	45,136	197.100	20	1	3	7
Raquel Orozco	Tijuana, Mexico	2017-18-19-20	168	35,022	208.464	37	2	9	15
Christina Perez	San Diego, Calif.	2001-02-03-04	133	24,874	187.023	25	0	1	3
Shannon Pluhowsky	Phoenix, Ariz.	2001-02-04-05	295	63,518	215.315	36	12	25	30
Estefania Prieto	Bogota, Colombia	2018-19-20	90	17,888	198.756	20	0	3	4
Cassidy Ray	Herrin, Ill.	2019-20-21	71	21,425	200.234	25	0	2	5
Stacy Rogers	Sioux Falls, S.D.	1998-99-2000	150	29,429	196.593	-	-	-	-
Andrea Ruiz	Bogota, Colombia	2012-13-14-15	118	22,718	192.545	24	0	0	0
Jennifer Schultz	Portland, Ore.	2003-04	49	9,441	175.596	10	0	1	2
Kari Schwager	Montgomery, Ill.	2000-01-02-03	308	61,352	199.195	36	2	8	15
Amanda Smith-Speights	Woodbridge, Va.	2020-21	24	4,574	190.583	11	0	0	0
Katie Ann Sopp	Circle Pines, Minn.	2008-09-10-11	126	24,701	196.040	24	1	3	5
Melissa Stewart	Fort Pierce, Fla.	2003-04	80	15,639	194.191	11	0	2	4
Kayla Stram	Grand Rapids, Minn.	2009-10-11	57	10,701	187.737	17	0	2	6
Meghan Straub	Lincoln, Neb.	2016-17-18-19	176	36,082	203.325	38	2	10	16
Kelle Valenzuela	Brown Summit, N.C.	2006	5	944	188.800	3	0	0	0
Danielle van der Meer	Hilversum, Netherlands	2009-10-11	116	22,610	194.194	25	0	3	8
Briana Zabierek	Lockport, Ill.	2014-15-16-17	172	33,436	194.395	35	0	2	6
Shalima Zalsha	Jakarta, Indonesia	2010-11-12	22	3,981	180.955	5	0	0	0
Kayla Verstraete	Loves Park, Ill.	2021	30	6,390	213.000	5	0	2	1

*complete individual stats not available for 1997-98 season-

NATIONAL COLLEGIATE BOWLERS OF THE YEAR



Kim Berke
1992



Diandra Hyman
2000



Shannon Pluhowsky
2001, 2004,
2005



Lindsay Baker
2006



Amanda Burgoyne
2007



Cassandra Leuthold
2010



Lizbeth Kuhlkin
2015



Raquel Orozco
2020



Crystal Elliott
2021



Kim Berke
1989



Shannon Pluhowsky
2001



Lindsay Baker
2005



Cassandra Leuthold
2007

NATIONAL COLLEGIATE ROOKIES OF THE YEAR

NEBRASKA'S YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1997-98

Date	Tournament	Result
10/4-10/5	Greater Milwaukee Collegiate	1st/15
10/18-10/19	Hoosier Classic	4th/11
10/24-10/25	Mid-States Invitational	2nd/9
11/1-11/2	Great Lakes Classic	1st/26
11/27-11/29	National Collegiate Match Games	9th/32
12/28-12/29	Las Vegas Invitational	1st/17
12/29-12/30	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	5th/14
2/7-2/8	Coca-Cola Classic	5th/16
2/14-2/15	Great Plains Conference	1st/5
2/21-2/22	ACU-I Regional	1st/5
4/15-4/18	IBC Championships	4th/16

1998-99

10/10-10/11	Mid-States Invitational	2nd/9
10/17-10/18	Hoosier Classic	3rd/15
10/24-10/25	Southern Collegiate Classic	1st/12
11/7-11/8	Great Lakes Classic	4th/18
11/27-11/28	National Collegiate Games	5th/32
12/28-12/29	Las Vegas Invitational	4th/21
12/29-12/30	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	3rd/17
2/6-2/7	Coca-Cola Classic	7th/22
2/27-2/28	Buckeye Classic	3rd/22
4/21-4/24	IBC Championships	1st/16

1999-2000

10/8-10/9	TVEBA Texas Classic	1st/4
10/16-10/17	Hoosier Classic	1st/23
10/23-10/24	Great Lakes Classic	2nd/2
11/6-11/7	Southern Classic	1st/12
11/25-11/26	National Collegiate Match Games	1st/38
12/20-12/21	Las Vegas Invitational	4th/27
12/22-12/23	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	3rd/20
2/6-2/7	Coca-Cola Classic	2nd/18
2/19-2/20	ACU-I Regional	2nd/9
2/25-2/27	Great Plains Conference	3rd/6
3/4-3/5	Buckeye Classic	2nd/21
3/18-3/19	IBC Sectional	1st/6
4/27-4/29	IBC Championships	3rd/16

2000-01

10/6-10/7	TVEBA Texas Classic	1st/11
10/21-10/22	Mid-States Invitational	1st/11
11/4-11/5	Southern Classic	2nd/18
11/11-11/12	Great Lakes Classic	1st/25
11/24-11/25	National Collegiate Match Games	2nd/36
12/18-19	Las Vegas Invitational	2nd/21
12/19-12/21	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	2nd/19
1/27-1/28	Blue and Gold Classic	1st/19
2/3-2/4	Coca-Cola Classic	3rd/16
3/23-3/25	IBC Sectional	3rd/11
4/18-4/21	IBC Championships	1st/16

2001-02

10/20-10/21	Mid-States Invitational	1st/9
11/23-11/24	National Collegiate Match Games	1st/36
12/7-12/8	TVEBA Texas Classic	1st/4
12/27-12/28	Las Vegas Invitational	2nd/20
12/28-12/30	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	2nd/21
1/19-1/20	Eagle Classic	1st/13
1/26-1/27	Blue and Gold Classic	2nd/20
2/2-2/3	Coca-Cola Classic	1st/17
2/23-2/24	Hoosier Classic	1st/21
3/9-3/10	Great Plains Quadrangular	1st/4
3/23-3/24	IBC Sectional	1st/8
4/17-4/21	IBC Championships	9th/16

2002-03

10/26-10/27	Mid-States Invitational	4th/11
11/2-11/3	Southern Classic	1st/12
11/9-11/10	Great Lakes Classic	1st/33
11/29-11/30	National Collegiate Match Games	9th/36
12/7-12/8	Leatherneck Classic	4th/20
1/25-1/26	Blue and Gold Classic	2nd/33
2/1-2/2	Coca-Cola Classic	1st/20
2/8-2/9	ACU-I Region 11 Tournament	1st/4
3/22-3/23	IBC Sectional	2nd/9
4/23-4/27	IBC Championships	7th/16

2003-04

11/1-11/2	Brunswick Southern Classic	1st/6
11/8-11/9	Whitewater Invitational	1st/3
11/15-11/16	Triad Women's Classic	1st/5
11/28-11/29	National Team Match Games	1st/11
1/17-1/18	Southern Varsity Invitational	3rd/14
1/31-2/1	Brunswick Coca-Cola Classic	1st/4
3/5-3/7	NCAA Northeast Challenge	2nd/5
3/12-3/13	Holiday Collegiate Classic	1st/5
4/8-4/10	NCAA Championships	1st/8

2004-05

10/30-10/31	Arkansas State Invitational	1st/6
11/6-11/7	Whitewater Invitational	2nd/5
11/19-11/21	Minnesota State Invitational	1st/3
1/22-1/23	Greater Ozark NCAA Invitational	2nd/8
1/28-1/30	Brunswick Coca-Cola Classic	1st/7
2/25-2/27	Bayside Collegiate Classic	1st/16
3/5-3/6	Collegiate Holiday Classic	1st/5
3/19-3/20	Nashville Classic	1st/7
4/14-4/17	NCAA Championships	1st/8

2005-06

Date	Tournament	Result
11/11-11/13	Mankato Invitational	1st/5
1/21-1/22	Greater Ozark Invitational	1st/5
1/28-1/29	Brunswick Coca-Cola Invite	1st/6
2/4-2/5	Arkansas State Invitational	1st/5
2/18-2/19	Morgan State Invitational	1st/6
3/4-3/5	Alabama A&M	1st/16
3/18-3/19	Vanderbilt Invitational	1st/5
3/24-3/26	Brunswick Invitational	1st/5
4/12-4/15	NCAA Championships	3rd/8

2006-07

11/10-11/12	Wisconsin-Whitewater Invitational	2nd/7
11/17-11/19	Maverick Challenge	1st/7
12/2-12/3	Valley Classic	1st/5
1/19-1/21	Ozark Invitational	4th/8
2/3-2/4	Mid-Winter Classic	3rd/18
2/17-2/18	Morgan State Invitational	1st/24
3/17-3/18	Music City Classic	1st/16
3/23-3/25	Brunswick Windy City Classic	1st/7
4/12-4/14	NCAA Championships	T3rd/8

2007-08

11/9-11/11	Cheeseland Classic	1st/12
11/15-11/17	Maverick Challenge	1st
12/1-12/2	Capital City Collegiate Classic	1st
1/18-1/20	Ozark Invitational	1st/6
2/1-2/3	Mid-Winter Classic	3rd/19
2/15-2/17	Morgan State Invitational	1st/32
3/1-3/2	Holiday Classic	1st
3/29	Nebraska Alumni (exh.)	Tie
4/10-4/12	NCAA Championships	T7th/8

2008-09

11/7-11/9	Warhawk Classic	1st
11/13-11/15	Maverick Challenge	1st
12/5-12/7	Capital City Collegiate Classic	1st
1/16-1/18	Mid-Winter Classic	2nd/20
1/23-1/25	Greater Ozark Invitational	5th/8
2/14-2/15	Morgan State Invitational	2nd/30
2/28-3/1	Holiday Classic	1st/16
3/13-3/15	Music City Classic	2nd/23
4/9-4/11	NCAA Championships	1st/8

2009-10

10/24-10/25	Greater Ozark Invitational	7th/10
11/5-11/7	Big Red Invitational	4th/8
12/4-12/6	Capital City Collegiate Classic	1st/12
1/15-1/17	Mid-Winter Classic	5th
2/5-2/7	Griffin Invitational	1st/8
2/20-2/21	Morgan State Invitational	1st
2/27-2/28	Holiday Classic	1st/12
3/12-3/14	Music City Classic	2nd
4/8-4/10	NCAA Championships	2nd/8

2010-11

11/12-11/14	Crusader Classic	1st/7
12/3-12/5	Capital City Collegiate Classic	1st/11
1/14-1/16	Mid-Winter Classic	5th/15
1/20-1/22	Big Red Invitational	3rd/10
2/18-2/20	Morgan State Invitational	1st/20
2/25-2/27	Holiday Classic	8th/12
3/18-3/20	Music City Classic	1st/22
4/14-4/16	NCAA Championships	T3rd/8

2011-12

11/11-11/13	Crusader Classic	2nd/9
12/2-12/4	Track Kat Klash	4th/14
1/13-1/15	Mid-Winter Classic	4th/17
1/19-1/21	Big Red Invitational	3rd/12
2/3-2/5	Prairie View A&M Invitational	4th/12
2/17-2/19	Morgan State Invitational	2nd/23
3/16-3/18	Music City Classic	1st/19
4/12-4/14	NCAA Championships	3rd/8

2012-13

Date	Tournament	Result
11/9-11/11	Crusader Classic	3rd/10
11/30-12/2	Track Kat Klash	5th/16
1/11-1/13	Mid-Winter Classic	1st/16
2/1-2/3	Prairie View A&M Invitational	1st/12
2/15-2/17	Morgan State Invitational	3rd/28
3/1-3/3	Central Missouri Women's Invitational	1st/12
3/15-3/17	Music City Classic	4th/29
4/11-4/13	NCAA Championships	1st/8

2013-14

11/8-11/10	Crusader Classic	2nd/14
11/21-11/23	Big Red Invitational	2nd, 4th, 1st/8
1/17-1/19	Mid-Winter Classic	3rd/13
1/31-2/2	Prairie View A&M Invitational	1st/12
2/14-2/16	Track Kat Klash	3rd/19
2/28-3/1	Central Missouri Invitational	1st/12
3/7-3/9	Music City Classic	5th/29
4/10-4/12	NCAA Championships	2nd/8



The 2003-04 Huskers, led by National Collegiate Bowler of the Year Shannon Pluhowsky (second from left), won the inaugural NCAA bowling championship.

2014-15

11/7-11/9	Crusader Classic	1st/14
11/13-11/15	Big Red Invitational	1st, 1st, 4th/7
11/21-11/23	Track Kat Klash	1st/18
1/16-1/18	Mid-Winter Classic	3rd/15
1/30-2/1	Prairie View A&M Invitational	1st/12
2/13-2/15	SFA Stormin' Ladyjack Classic	2nd/17
2/27-3/1	Central Missouri Invitational	1st/5
3/6-3/8	Music City Classic	NA/23
4/9-4/11	NCAA Championships	1st/8

2015-16

10/16-10/18	Allstate Sugar Bowl Invitational	3rd/15
11/6-11/8	Crusader Classic	3rd/14
11/12-11/14	Big Red Invitational	4th, 1st, 1st/8
12/4-12/6	Track Kat Klash	1st/10
1/15-1/17	Mid-Winter Invitational	7th/14
1/29-1/31	Prairie View A&M Invitational	1st/11
2/12-2/14	SFA Stormin' Ladyjack Classic	3rd/17
2/19-2/21	Warhawk Invitational	1st/10
3/18-3/20	Columbia 300 Music City Classic	3rd/30
4/14-4/16	NCAA Championships	2nd/8

2016-17

10/21-10/23	Wildcat Invitational	5th/13
11/4-11/6	Track Kat Klash	2nd/17
11/11-11/13	Warhawk Invitational	3rd/17
1/13-1/15	Mid-Winter Invitational	1st/17
1/27-1/29	Prairie View Invitational	1st/12
2/10-2/12	SFA Stormin' Ladyjack Invitational	2nd/23
2/17-2/19	Crusader Classic	1st/11
2/24-2/25	UCM Mid-American Invitational	1st/6
3/2-3/4	Big Red Invitational	2nd/9
4/13-4/15	NCAA Championships	2nd/8

2017-18

10/27-10/29	Brunswick Bearcat Open	1st/24
11/3-11/5	Track Kat Klash	1st/21
11/10-11/12	Warhawk Classic	2nd/15
1/12-1/14	Mid-Winter Classic	2nd/20
2/2-2/4	Prairie View A&M Invitational	7th/12
2/9-2/11	Crusader Classic	1st/12
2/16-2-18	SFA Stormin' Ladyjack Invitational	1st/14
2/24-25	UCM Mid-America Invitational	1st/6
3/2-3/4	Big Red Invitational	1st/10
4/13-4/15	NCAA Championships	4th/8

2018-19

10/26-10/28	Bearcat Hammer Open	1st/16
11/2-11/4	Track Kat Klash	2nd/17
11/9-11/11	Warhawk Classic	5th/18
1/11-1/13	Mid-Winter Classic	7th/18
1/25-1/27	Columbia 300 Saints	1st/12
2/1-2/3	Prairie View A&M Invitational	8th/12
2/8-2/10	Sunshine State Classic	2nd/14
2/15-2-17	SFA Stormin' Ladyjack Invitational	4th/12
3/1-3/3	Big Red Invitational	2nd/10
4/11-4/13	NCAA Championships	3rd/8

2019-20

10/25-10/27	Bearcat Hammer Open	1st/18
11/1-11/3	Track Kat Klash	1st/15
11/15-11/17	SFA Jacks Invite	1st/5
1/10-1/12	Stormin' Blue & White Vegas Classic	2nd/13
1/24-1/26	Columbia 300 Saints	4th/20
1/31-2/2	Prairie View Invitational	5th/12
2/14-2/16	Mid-Winter Classic	6th/19
2/28-3/1	Big Red Invitational	1st/8
3/6-3/8	Music City Classic	9th/29
4/9-4/11	NCAA Championship	Canceled

2020-21

1/22-1/24	Columbia 300 Saints	4th/11
1/29-1/31	Prairie View Invitational	3rd/10
2/26-28	Big Red Invitational	3rd/11
3/5-3/7	Music City Classic	2nd/19
3/12-3/14	Mid-Winter Classic	2nd/11
4/7-4/10	NCAA Championship	1st/16

NEBRASKA'S TOURNAMENT TITLES

TEAM TOURNAMENT TITLES

Tournament	Pins	Teams	Year
Greater Milwaukee Collegiate	10,953	15	1997-98
Great Lakes Classic	10,219	26	1997-98
Las Vegas Invitational	11,449	17	1997-98
Great Plains Conference	Team only	5	1997-98
ACU-I Regional	8,409	5	1997-98
Southern Collegiate Classic	11,465	12	1998-99
IBC Championships	Team only	16	1998-99
TVEBA Texas Classic	12,024	4	1999-00
Hoosier Classic	8,020	23	1999-00
Southern Classic	11,125	12	1999-00
National Collegiate Match Games	13,215	38	1999-00
IBC Sectional	12,814	6	1999-00
Texas Connection Classic	11,257	11	2000-01
Mid-States Invitational	14,058	11	2000-01
Great Lakes Classic	8,058	25	2000-01
Blue and Gold Classic	9,229	19	2000-01
IBC Championships	Team only	16	2000-01
Mid-States Invitational	13,959	9	2001-02
National Collegiate Match Games	13,839	36	2001-02
TVEBA Texas Classic	9,324	4	2001-02
Eagle Classic	9,706	13	2001-02
Coca-Cola Classic	13,162	17	2001-02
Hoosier Classic	8,528	21	2001-02
Great Plains Quadrangular	Team only	4	2001-02
IBC Sectional	12,030	8	2001-02
Southern Classic	11,096	11	2002-03
Great Lakes Classic	9,710	33	2002-03
Coca-Cola Classic	11,840	20	2002-03
ACU-I Region 11	8,920	4	2002-03
Brunswick Southern Classic	6,855	6	2003-04
Whitewater Invitational	10,548	3	2003-04
Triad Women's Classic	5,463	5	2003-04
National Team Match Games	10,381	11	2003-04
Brunswick Coca-Cola Classic	6,795	4	2003-04
Holiday Collegiate Classic	8,904	5	2003-04
NCAA Championship	7,633	8	2003-04
Arkansas State Invitational	Team only	4	2004-05
Minnesota State Invitational	Team only	3	2004-05
Brunswick Coca-Cola Classic	Team only	7	2004-05
Bayside Collegiate Classic	8,850	16	2004-05
Collegiate Holiday Classic	10,323	5	2004-05
Nashville Classic	Team only	7	2004-05
NCAA Championship	Team only	8	2004-05
Mankato Invitational	9,354	5	2005-06
Greater Ozark Invitational	7,166	5	2005-06
Brunswick Coca-Cola Invitational	Team only	6	2005-06
Arkansas State Invitational	Team only	5	2005-06
Morgan State Invitational	7,867	6	2005-06
Alabama A&M	10,671	16	2005-06
Vanderbilt Invitational	9,670	5	2005-06
Brunswick Invitational	Team only	5	2005-06
Maverick Challenge	13,565	7	2006-07
Valley Classic	Team only	8	2006-07
Morgan State Invitational	9,220	24	2006-07
Music City Classic	9,557	16	2006-07
Brunswick Windy City Classic	13,485	7	2006-07
Cheeseland Classic	11,841	5	2007-08
Maverick Challenge	14,968	N/A	2007-08
Capital City Classic	9,060	5	2007-08
Ozark Invitational	Team only	6	2007-08
Morgan State Invitational	9,247	32	2007-08
Holiday Classic	10,505	5	2007-08
Warhawk Classic	4,553	N/A	2008-09
Maverick Challenge	10,496	20	2008-09
Capital City Classic	5,241	N/A	2008-09
Holiday Classic	11,993	16	2008-09
NCAA Championship	Team only	8	2008-09
Holiday Classic	11,993	16	2008-09
NCAA Championship	Team only	8	2008-09
Capital City Collegiate Classic	12,516	5	2009-10
Griffin Invitational	13,083	5	2009-10
Morgan State Invitational	6,962	18	2009-10
Holiday Classic	Team only	12	2009-10
Crusader Classic	3,615	6	2010-11
Capital City Collegiate Classic	9,023	N/A	2010-11
Morgan State Invitational	N/A	4	2010-11
Music City Classic	6,044	20	2010-11
Music City Classic	N/A	20	2011-12
Mid-Winter Invitational	5,014	16	2012-13
Prairie View A&M Invitational	4,544	16	2012-13
Central Missouri Invitational	5,263	12	2012-13
NCAA Championship	Team only	8	2012-13
Prairie View A&M Invitational	8,681	12	2013-14
Central Missouri Invitational	10,065	12	2013-14
Crusader Classic	6,756	14	2014-15
Big Red Invitational	10,451	7	2014-15
Track Kat Klash	5,970	18	2014-15
Prairie View A&M Invitational	6,336	12	2014-15
Central Missouri Invitational	12,746	5	2014-15
NCAA Championship	Team Only	8	2014-15
Big Red Invitational	10,442	8	2015-16
Track Kat Klash	5,033	10	2015-16
Prairie View A&M Invitational	5,885	11	2015-16

Tournament	Pins	Teams	Year
Warhawk Invitational	5,363	10	2015-16
Mid-Winter Invitational	4,869	17	2016-17
Prairie View Invitational	5,828	12	2016-17
Crusader Classic	6,171	11	2016-17
UCM Mid-America Invitational	5,241	6	2016-17
Brunswick Bearcat Open	10,065	24	2017-18
Track Kat Klash	12,462	21	2017-18
Crusader Classic	12,572	12	2017-18
Stormin' Ladyjack Invitational	13,628	18	2017-18
Central Missouri Invitational	10,188	6	2017-18
Big Red Invitational	12,045	10	2017-18
Bearcat Hammer Open	13,367	16	2018-19
Columbia 300 Saints	14,383	12	2018-19
Bearcat Hammer Open	11,867	18	2019-20
Track Kat Klash	13,197	15	2019-20
SFA Jacks Invitational	14,064	15	2019-20
Big Red Invitational	14,078	8	2019-20
NCAA Championship	Team only	16	2020-21

INDIVIDUAL TOURNAMENT TITLES

Bowler	Tournament	Year
Kimberly Claus	Mid-States Invitational	1998-99
Diandra Hyman	Hoosier Classic	1999-00
Diandra Hyman	Great Lakes Classic	1999-00
Diandra Hyman	Southern Classic	1999-00
Diandra Hyman	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	1999-00
Kimberly Claus	Great Plains Conference	1999-00
Diandra Hyman	Buckeye Classic	1999-00
Shannon Pluhowsky	TVEBA Texas Classic	2000-01
Shannon Pluhowsky	Mid-States Invitational	2000-01
Shannon Pluhowsky	Southern Classic	2000-01
Shannon Pluhowsky	Great Lakes Classic	2000-01
Shannon Pluhowsky	National Collegiate Match Games	2000-01
Suzanne Medwell	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	2000-01
Shannon Pluhowsky	Blue and Gold Classic	2000-01
Kari Schwager	Sam's Town Shoot-Out	2001-02
Suzanne Medwell	Eagle Classic	2001-02
Kari Schwager	Blue/Gold Classic Tournament	2002-03
Paola Gomez	Coca-Cola Classic	2002-03
Shannon Pluhowsky	Brunswick Southern Classic	2003-04
Shannon Pluhowsky	Whitewater Invitational	2003-04
Amanda Burgoyne	Triad Women's Classic	2003-04
Shannon Pluhowsky	National Team Match Games	2003-04
Shannon Pluhowsky	Holiday Collegiate Classic	2003-04
Amanda Burgoyne	Arkansas State Invitational	2004-05
Shannon Pluhowsky	Whitewater Invitational	2004-05
Lindsay Baker	Minnesota State Invitational	2004-05
Amanda Burgoyne	Greater Ozark NCA Invitational	2004-05
Jamie Martin	Coca-Cola Invitational	2004-05
Adrienne Miller	Bayside Collegiate Classic	2004-05
Adrienne Miller	Collegiate Holiday Classic	2004-05
Shannon Pluhowsky	Nashville Classic	2004-05
Amanda Burgoyne	NCAA Championship	2004-05
Lindsay Baker	Greater Ozark Invitational	2005-06
Lindsay Baker	Morgan State Invitational	2005-06
Amanda Burgoyne	Arkansas State Invitational	2005-06
Cassandra Leuthold	Maverick Challenge	2006-07
Cassandra Leuthold	Ozark Invitational	2006-07
Amanda Burgoyne	Morgan State Invitational	2006-07
Cassandra Leuthold	Cheeseland Classic	2007-08
Cassandra Leuthold	Ozark Invitational	2007-08
Lindsay Baker	Morgan State Invitational	2007-08
Katie Ann Sopp	Holiday Classic	2007-08
Cassandra Leuthold	Warhawk Classic	2008-09
Cassandra Leuthold	Maverick Challenge	2008-09
Erin McCarthy	Capital City Collegiate Classic	2008-09
Cassandra Leuthold	Morgan State Invitational	2008-09
Cassandra Leuthold	Capital City Collegiate Classic	2009-10
Cassandra Leuthold	Griffin Invitational	2009-10
Cassandra Leuthold	Morgan State Invitational	2009-10
Cassandra Leuthold	Music City Classic	2009-10
Valerie Calberry	Capital City Collegiate Classic	2010-11
Jasmine Laugerman	Morgan State Invitational	2010-11
Kristina Mickelson	Music City Classic	2011-12
Lizabeth Kuhlkin	Crusader Classic	2012-13
Lizabeth Kuhlkin	Central Missouri Invitational	2012-13
Lizabeth Kuhlkin	Mid-Winter Classic	2013-14
Lizabeth Kuhlkin	Crusader Classic	2014-15
Julia Bond	Mid-Winter Classic	2014-15
Lizabeth Kuhlkin	Central Missouri Invitational	2014-15
Gazmine Mason	Music City Classic	2014-15
Gazmine Mason	Crusader Classic	2015-16
Julia Bond	NCAA Championship	2015-16
Julia Bond	Crusader Classic	2016-17
Kelly Belzeski	UCM Mid-America Invitational	2016-17
Kelly Belzeski	NCAA Championship	2016-17
Kelly Belzeski	Mid-Winter Classic	2017-18
Raquel Orozco	Crusader Classic	2017-18
Raquel Orozco	Central Missouri Invitational	2017-18
Julia Bond	Big Red Invitational	2017-18
Meghan Straub	Bearcat Hammer Open	2018-19
Meghan Straub	Track Kat Klash	2018-19
Allison Morris	Warhawk Classic	2018-19
Allison Morris	Sunshine State Classic	2018-19

NEBRASKA'S BOWLING RECORDS

PINFALL (SINGLE TOURNAMENT)

Rk....	Name	Pinfall	Tournament.....	Date
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	3,192	Mid States Tournament	10/22/00
2.....	Kari Schwager	2,962	Mid-States Tournament	10/21/01
3.....	Lindsay Baker	2,946	Maverick Challenge	11/18/07
4.....	Jasmine Laugerman	2,934	Maverick Challenge	11/18/07
5.....	Cassandra Leuthold	2,888	Maverick Challenge	11/18/07
6.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	2,872	Mid-States Tournament	10/21/01
7.....	Cassandra Leuthold	2,837	Maverick Challenge	11/18/07
8.....	Suzanne Medwell	2,815	Mid-States Tournament	10/22/00
9.....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	2,812	Central Missouri Invitational	3/1/15
10....	Cassandra Leuthold	2,805	Wisconsin-Whitewater	11/12/06

AVERAGE (SINGLE TOURNAMENT)

Rk....	Name	Average	Tournament.....	Date
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	254.300	Wisconsin-Whitewater	11/9/03
2.....	Amanda Burgoyne	251.750	NCAA Championships.....	4/16/05
3.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	242.875	Team Match Games	11/25/00
4.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	242.182	Maverick Challenge	11/18/00
5.....	Meghan Straub	242.000	NCAA Championships.....	4/13/19
6.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	241.750	Southern Classic.....	11/5/00
7.....	Allison Morris	238.800	Warhawk Classic.....	11/11/18
8.....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	238.400	Crusader Classic.....	11/9/12
9.....	Amanda Burgoyne	236.800	Triad Women's Classic	11/16/03
10....	Erin McCarthy	236.200	Capital City Classic.....	12/7/08

PINFALL (SINGLE SEASON)

Rk....	Name	Pinfall	Year
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	19,431	2001-02
2.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	19,104	2000-01
3.....	Amanda O'Hayre	18,138	1999-00
4.....	Kimberly Claus	18,035	1999-00
5.....	Kari Schwager	17,436	2001-02
6.....	Diandra Hyman	16,793	1999-00
7.....	Diandra Hyman	16,784	2001-02
8.....	Diandra Hyman	16,243	1998-99
9.....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	16,177	2014-15
10....	Kari Schwager	15,837	2000-01

GAMES PLAYED (SINGLE SEASON)

Rk....	Name	Games	Year
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	93	2001-02
2.....	Kimberly Claus	90	1999-00
.....	Amanda O'Hayre	90	1999-00
4.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	86	2000-01
5.....	Diandra Hyman	84	2001-02
.....	Kari Schwager	84	2001-02
7.....	Diandra Hyman	81	1998-99
8.....	Kari Schwager	80	2000-01
9.....	Diandra Hyman	79	1999-00
10....	Stacy Rogers	77	1999-00
.....	Kari Schwager	77	1999-00

AVERAGE (SINGLE SEASON)

Rk....	Name	Average.....	Year
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	222.140	2000-01
2.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	221.788	2003-04
3.....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	218.608	2014-15
4.....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	215.700	2012-13
5.....	Meghan Straub	214.692	2018-19
6.....	Crystal Elliott	213.472	2020-21
7.....	Lindsay Baker	213.000	2005-06
8.....	Kayla Verstraete	213.000	2020-21
9.....	Diandra Hyman	212.570	1999-00
10....	Julia Bond	212.000	2016-17

PINFALL (CAREER)

Rk....	Name	Pinfall	Years
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	63,518	2000-2005
2.....	Diandra Hyman	63,065	1998-2002
3.....	Kari Schwager	61,352	1999-2003
4.....	Cassandra Leuthold	51,387	2006-2010
5.....	Amanda Burgoyne	50,022	2004-2007
6.....	Lindsay Baker	49,727	2005-2008
7.....	Julia Bond	48,674	2015-2018
8.....	Adrienne Miller	47,765	2004-2007
9.....	Amanda O'Hayre	45,136	1998-2001
10....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	44,079	2011-2015

GAMES PLAYED (CAREER)

Rk....	Name	Games	Years
1.....	Kari Schwager	308	1999-2003
.....	Diandra Hyman	308	1998-2002
3.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	295	2000-2005
4.....	Cassandra Leuthold	251	2006-2010
5.....	Amanda Burgoyne	244	2004-2007
.....	Lindsay Baker	244	2005-2008
7.....	Adrienne Miller	239	2004-2007
8.....	Julia Bond	232	2015-2018
9.....	Amanda O'Hayre	229	1998-2001
10....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	209	2011-2015

AVERAGE (CAREER)

Rk....	Name	Average.....	Years
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	215.315	2000-2005
2.....	Lizabeth Kuhlkin	210.904	2011-2015
3.....	Julia Bond	210.092	2014-2018
4.....	Gazmine Mason	208.494	2013-2017
5.....	Kelly Belzeski	208.209	2015-2018
6.....	Raquel Orozco	208.200	2016-2020
7.....	Meghan Straub	205.017	2015-2019
8.....	Amanda Burgoyne	205.010	2004-2007
9.....	Jennifer Daugherty	204.844	1995-1999
10....	Diandra Hyman	204.756	1998-2002

PINFALL (FRESHMAN)

Rk.....	Name	Pinfall	Year
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	19,104	2000-01
2.....	Diandra Hyman	16,243	1998-99
3.....	Kari Schwager	15,207	1999-00
4.....	Cassandra Leuthold	14,572	2006-07
5.....	Julia Bond	13,839	2014-15
6.....	Amanda O'Hayre	13,432	1998-99
7.....	Amanda Burgoyne	12,514	1999-00
8.....	Suzanne Medwell	11,952	2000-01
9.....	Katie Ann Sopp	11,539	2007-08
10....	Lindsay Baker	11,481	2004-05

GAMES PLAYED (FRESHMAN)

Rk....	Name	Games	Year
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	86	2000-01
2.....	Diandra Hyman	81	1998-99
3.....	Kari Schwager	77	1999-00
4.....	Cassandra Leuthold	72	2006-07
5.....	Amanda O'Hayre	68	1998-99
6.....	Julia Bond	67	2014-15
7.....	Amanda Burgoyne	62	2003-04
8.....	Suzanne Medwell	60	2000-01
9.....	Katie Ann Sopp	57	2007-08
10....	Adrienne Miller	56	2003-04
.....	Lindsay Baker	56	2004-05
.....	Sarah Koch	56	2006-07

SEASON AVERAGE (FRESHMAN)

Rk....	Name	Average.....	Year
1.....	Shannon Pluhowsky	222.140	2000-01
2.....	Kayla Verstraete	213.000	2020-21
3.....	Lindsay Baker	206.622	2004-05
4.....	Julia Bond	206.552	2014-15
5.....	Adrienne Miller	203.857	2003-04
6.....	Katie Ann Sopp	202.400	2007-08
7.....	Raquel Orozco	202.381	2016-17
8.....	Cassandra Leuthold	202.300	2006-07
9.....	Amanda Burgoyne	201.839	2003-04
10....	Diandra Hyman	200.531	1998-99

TEAM AVERAGE

Rk....	Tournament Name	Average.....	Date
1.....	National Collegiate Match Games.....	226.62	11/24/01
2.....	Mid-Winter Classic.....	221.44	1/13/18
3.....	National Collegiate Match Games.....	220.58	11/25/00
4.....	Warhawk Classic	219.56	11/11/18
5.....	Ozark Invitational	217.40	1/21/07
6.....	Prarie View A&M	217.04	2/3-5/12
7.....	National Collegiate Match Games.....	216.64	11/27/99
8.....	Big Red Invitational	216.24	3/3/18
9.....	Big Red Invitational	215.88	3/3/17
10....	NCAA Championship	215.17	4/16/16

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA ADMINISTRATION


**RONNIE
GREEN**

 CHANCELLOR | SIXTH YEAR
VIRGINIA TECH | 1983

**SCOTT
FEUSS JR.**

 FACULTY ATHLETICS REPRESENTATIVE | SECOND YEAR
DELAWARE | 1982

Dr. Ronnie D. Green is Chancellor of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Nebraska's flagship, Land-Grant and Big Ten institution, where he oversees an enrollment of over 25,000 students and 6,000 faculty and staff.

UNL CHANCELLORS

1871-1876	Allen R. Benton
1876-1882	Edmund B. Fairfield
1884-1888	J. Irving Manatt
1888-1891	Charles E. Bessey
1891-1895	James H. Canfield
1895-1899	George E. MacLean
1900-1908	E. Benjamin Andrews
1908-1927	Samuel Avery
1927-1938	Edgar A. Burnett
1938-1946	Chauncey S. Boucher
1947-1953	Reuben G. Gustavson
1953-1954	John K. Selleck*
1954-1968	Clifford Hardin
1968-1971	Joseph Soshnik
1972-1975	James H. Zumberge
1975-1976	Adam C. Breckenridge*
1976-1980	Roy A. Young
1980-1981	Robert H. Rutford*
1981-1991	Martin A. Massengale
1991-1991	Jack Goebel*
1991-1995	Graham B. Spanier
1995-1996	Joan R. Leitzel*
1996-2000	James Moeser
2000-2016	Harvey S. Perlman
2016-pres.	Ronnie Green

* Interim Chancellor

He received bachelor's and master's degrees in animal science from Virginia Tech and Colorado State University, respectively. His doctoral program was completed jointly at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and the USDA-ARS U.S. Meat Animal Research Center in animal breeding and genetics.

Green has served on the animal science faculties of Texas Tech University and Colorado State University, and as the national program leader for animal production research for the USDA's Agricultural Research Service and executive secretary of the White House's interagency working group on animal genomics within the National Science and Technology Council. Prior to returning to NU, Green served as a global executive for Pfizer Animal Health's animal genomics

business.

Green has published 130 refereed publications and abstracts, nine book chapters and 56 invited symposia papers and has delivered invited presentations in 43 U.S. states and 21 countries around the world. He is a past-president of both the American Society of Animal Science (ASAS) and the National Black and Bridle Club and has served in a number of leadership positions for the U.S. Beef Improvement Federation, National Cattlemen's Beef Association, National Pork Board, the National Research Council of the National Academy of Sciences, the Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities, and Alpha Gamma Rho national fraternity. He currently is a member of a number of boards including the Big Ten Council of Presidents and Chancellors, Neogen Corporation, and Supporters of Agricultural Research, and was recently named to the Presidential Forum of the NCAA representing the Big Ten Conference, and an inaugural member of the NCAA Division I Board Infractions Process Committee. He was named a fellow of ASAS in 2014 and a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in 2015. In 2017 Dr. Green was honored with the American Society of Animal Science's Morrison Award, the highest international academic recognition for an animal scientist.

Ronnie and his wife Jane, a double UNL alumna, are the proud parents of four children – Justin, Nate, Kelli and Regan Green – all UNL graduates – and one granddaughter, Charlotte.

Scott M. Fuess Jr. was named the University of Nebraska-Lincoln faculty athletics representative on Feb. 21, 2020.

As faculty athletics representative, Fuess serves as a liaison between the Office of the Chancellor and Athletic Department. Areas of focus in the role include the welfare of student-athletes, maintaining the positive relationship between athletics and faculty, NCAA compliance, developing and responding to NCAA legislative proposals and representing the university at related NCAA and Big Ten Conference meetings.

NEBRASKA'S FACULTY REPS

1931-1946	T.J. Thompson
1947-1958	Earl Fullbrook
1959-1964	Charles S. Miller
1965-1968	Merk Hobson
1969-1970	John R. Davis
1971-1982	Keith L. Broman
1982-1997	James O'Hanlon
1997-2020	Josephine Potuto
2020-pres.	Scott Feuss

The half-time position - which was restructured to an expected term of five years - reports directly to Chancellor Ronnie Green and consults with the Athletic Director. The representative splits academic year time equally between academic responsibilities and faculty representative duties.

Fuess, the Steinhart Distinguished Professor of Business and former chair of the College of Business' economics department, has worked at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln since 1986. He serves on the Faculty Senate's Intercollegiate Athletics Committee, having chaired the committee for 2018-19 and a sub-committee in 2017-18.

In August 2018, Fuess was named director of the university's cross-disciplinary master's degree program that offers a specialization in intercollegiate athletics administration. The program - which has been completed by 48 Huskers - is built on MBA coursework, allowing students to earn hands-on experiences through Nebraska Athletics, industry professionals, other universities and alumni.

Fuess earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Delaware, as well as master's and doctoral degrees from Purdue University. His research interests revolve around issues of economics, primarily in labor, collegiate athletics and Japan.

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PRESIDENT

TED
CARTERPRESIDENT | SECOND YEAR
U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY | 1981

Ted Carter became the eighth president of the University of Nebraska on Jan. 1, 2020.

As president, Carter leads a four-campus university system that enrolls nearly 52,000 students and employs 16,000 faculty and staff on campuses in Lincoln, Omaha and Kearney, plus academic divisions and research and extension centers across the state. He serves as chief spokesman and chief executive officer for the system, which operates on a \$2.8 billion annual budget and includes a flagship Big Ten institution, a world-renowned academic health sciences center, Division I athletics programs, and preeminent institutes focused on water and agriculture, national security and defense, infectious disease and early childhood education.

Carter brought with him a distinguished record in education, partnerships and military service, having come to Nebraska from the U.S. Naval Academy, his alma mater, where he served as superintendent. Under his leadership, the Naval Academy achieved a No. 1 national ranking and new records in student success and diversity. Carter previously was president of the U.S. Naval War College in Newport, R.I. A retired Vice Admiral with 38 years of service, Carter has logged more than 6,300 flying hours and holds the American record for carrier-arrested landings.

In his first year at the University of Nebraska – faced with the unexpected and unprecedented challenges presented by COVID-19 – Carter has led with a focus on the land-grant priorities of access and opportunity for students and families. He launched the Nebraska Promise, a financial aid program guaranteeing free tuition for low- and middle-income Nebraskans, and implemented a multi-year budget plan that included a two-year, across-the-board tuition freeze. The result was system-wide growth in enrollment, including record gains among underrepresented students.

Carter oversaw the awarding of a \$92 million federal contract for the university's National Strategic Research Institute, one of only 14 University-Affiliated Research Centers in the country conducting exclusive research for the Department of Defense. During Carter's tenure, the NU system has been ranked among the world's top 100 institutions for earning research patents, the Omaha campus was selected as the home for a new federal counterterrorism research center, the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources launched a new effort focused on rural vitality, and the medical center opened an education, training and preparedness facility that positions Nebraska as the world leader in the fight against infectious disease.

Carter serves as the chair of the Daugherty Water for Food Global Institute's Board of Directors. He is a board member for the Greater Omaha Chamber of Commerce, the Nebraska State Chamber of Commerce and Industry, the Naval Historical Foundation and the Naval Aviation Museum Foundation. Carter is also a member of the Aspen Institute's Higher Education Working Group and the Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities' Council of Presidents. He is an ex-officio member on the board of the University of Nebraska Foundation, the philanthropic partner of the university system that has a \$1.7 billion endowment.

Carter earned his bachelor's degree in physics and oceanography from the U.S. Naval Academy, where he played hockey and served as team captain. He is a graduate of the Navy Fighter Weapons School (Top Gun) and holds educational credentials from the Navy Nuclear Power School, the U.S. Air Force Air War College, the Naval War College and the Armed Forces Staff College. Carter's military career includes service for the Carrier Strike Group Twelve, in which he commanded 20 ships, two nuclear-powered aircraft carriers, and two carrier wings that were deployed to Afghanistan and the Arabian Gulf.

The son of an English teacher, Carter was raised in the rural, one-high school town of Burrillville, R.I. He and his wife, Lynda, live in Lincoln and have two adult children, Brittany and Christopher.

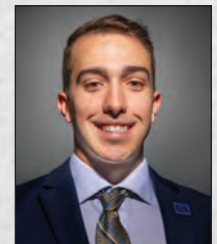
NEBRASKA'S PRESIDENTS

1968-1969	Clifford Hardin
1970-1976	Durwood B. Varner
1977-1989	Ronald Roskens
1989-1994	Martin A. Massengale
1994-2004	L. Dennis Smith
2004-2014	James B. Milliken
2014-2015	James Linder*
2015-2019	Hank M. Bounds
2019-2019	Susan Fritz*
2020-pres.	Walter "Ted" Carter
	* Interim President

UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

The Board of Regents consists of eight voting members elected by district for six-year terms, and four non-voting student Regents, one from each campus, who serve during their tenure as student body president. The board supervises the general operations of the university, and the control and direction of all expenditures. The board also includes a corporation secretary who manages all records including agendas, minutes, notices, policies and bylaws. Those documents can be found on the web at nebraska.edu/board.

The board meets regularly, primarily in Lincoln but also in Omaha and greater Nebraska. Persons wishing to provide information to the board or to appear before it should contact: Corporation Secretary, University of Nebraska, Varner Hall, 3835 Holdrege, Lincoln, NE 68583.

Timothy Clare
District 1Jack Stark
District 2Jim Pillen
District 3Elizabeth O'Connor
District 4Robert Schafer
District 5Paul Kenney
District 6Bob Phares
District 7Barbara Weitz
District 8Noah Limbach
Nebraska-KearneyBatool Ibrahim
Nebraska-LincolnTaylor Kratochvil
Nebraska-Medical
CenterMaeve Hemmer
Nebraska-Omaha

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA ADMINISTRATION

TREV
ALBERTSVICE CHANCELLOR, DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS
FIRST YEAR | NEBRASKA | 1993

A veteran administrator and College Football Hall of Famer, Trev Alberts was named Vice Chancellor for Athletics at the University of Nebraska on July 14,

NEBRASKA'S ATHLETIC DIRECTORS

Years	Athletic Director
1928-1931	H.D. Gish
1932-1936	Dana X. Bible
1937-1942	Lawrence McCeney "Biff" Jones
1942-1947	A.J. Lewandowski
1948-1953	George "Potsy" Clark
1954-1960	J.W. "Bill" Onwig
1961*	Charles Miller & Joseph Soshnik
1962-1966	W.H. "Tippy" Dye
1967-1992	Bob Devaney
1993-2002	Bill Byrne
2003-2007	Steve Pederson
2007-2012	Tom Osborne
2013-2017	Shawn Eichorst
2017-2021	Bill Moos
2021-pres.	Trev Alberts
*Interim Co-Directors	

2021. Alberts returned to his alma mater after spending 12 years at Nebraska-Omaha, guiding the program through a successful transition to the Division I level.

Alberts' tenure leading UNO athletics was marked by successes in competition and in academics; by transitioning the university's athletic programs to NCAA Division I in 2011; and by establishing new homes for many UNO athletics teams, including Baxter Arena, the Maverick Park baseball/softball complex and the soccer pitch at Caniglia Field.

Alberts took the bold step in announcing that Omaha would reclassify from Division II to Division I in all sports in 2011 and simultaneously securing conference

affiliation with the Summit League for all of the department's then-Division II programs. His vision for UNO's reclassifying teams was demonstrated even before the four-year transition period had ended. The Omaha baseball team won back-to-back Summit League regular-season championships in 2013 and 2014, while the men's basketball team made its first Division I postseason appearance in 2014 with a berth in the CollegeInsider.com Postseason Tournament.

During UNO's time in the Division I ranks under Alberts tenure, the Mavericks had six teams and four student-athletes qualify for the NCAA Tournament,

including hockey advancing to the Frozen Four in 2015 and men's soccer reaching the second round of the NCAA Tournament in the spring of 2021. He also expanded opportunities, adding men's golf and men's soccer in 2011 and Omaha will begin a men's swimming and diving program in 2021-22.

Throughout his tenure in Omaha, Alberts was focused on enhancing the student-athlete experience, including the construction and staffing of the Hamilton Academic Excellence Room and the development of the Ethel S. Abbott Student-Athlete Development Wing. Those efforts paid off in Nebraska-Omaha student-athletes posting consistent collective semester grade point averages above 3.3 for 18 consecutive semesters, including at least a 3.5 in each of his final three semesters.

The facilities around Omaha Athletics received a major uplift during his tenure. Maverick Park opened in March of 2021 to rave reviews as the home to the Mavericks' baseball and softball programs. Funding for the complex, which includes a 1,500-seat baseball facility and a 650-seat softball facility, were raised privately and provided both programs a permanent on-campus home for the first time.

Another crowning achievement was the opening of Baxter Arena in 2015. Alberts directed efforts to secure community support and funding to build the on-campus arena, which allowed the nationally prominent hockey program to play on campus and also serve as the home of the men's and women's basketball and volleyball programs. Caniglia Field underwent renovations in 2012, making it one of the finest collegiate soccer facilities in the country, highlighted by a FIFA 2-star rated playing surface and one of the largest LED videoboards in a soccer-only college facility.

Alberts' work on behalf of hockey, UNO's established Division I sport, also paid dividends. He successfully guided the Mavericks into the new National Collegiate Hockey Conference in 2013-14. The following year, Omaha reached the 2015 NCAA Frozen Four.

In addition, Alberts and his team led Omaha Athletics into a partnership with Learfield, a national leader in the marketing of collegiate athletics, and developed Omaha Sports Properties. As the exclusive corporate sponsorship sales unit for UNO Athletics, Omaha Sports Properties further enhanced revenue and increased brand prominence locally, regionally and nationally.

As part of UNO's reclassification to Division I, Alberts oversaw the rebranding of UNO athletics with new primary and secondary logos and a greater focus on strengthening the Maverick brand both regionally and nationally.

As a student-athlete, Alberts was an All-American on and off the football field as a Husker Blackshirt. He was Nebraska's first Butkus Award winner in 1993, helping Coach Tom Osborne's Huskers to an undefeated regular season and an Orange Bowl appearance against Florida State. A first-team All-American by every major publication in 1993, he was also the Football News National Defensive Player of the Year, the Big Eight Male Athlete of the Year, and the Big Eight Defensive Player of the Year. His No. 34 jersey was retired at the 1994 Red-White Spring Game. In 2015, he was elected to the College Football Hall of Fame.

Off the field, Alberts earned the NCAA's highest honor, The Today's Top Six Award. A three-time academic All-Big Eight honoree, he was a CoSIDA Academic All-American in 1993. He graduated from Nebraska before his senior season.

Alberts was the fifth pick in the 1994 NFL Draft by the Indianapolis Colts and played for the Colts until 1996. Following his NFL career, he served as an analyst on college and professional football games for major national networks, including ESPN, CNN/SI and CBS Sports Network.

Alberts and his wife Angela have three children – Chase, Ashtynne and Breanna.



Trev Alberts was named Vice Chancellor for Athletics at the University of Nebraska on July 14, 2021.

NEBRASKA ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT DIRECTORY

TEAM INFORMATION

Head Coach: Paul Klempa
Assistant Coach: Julia Bond
Office Manager: Ellen Shutts
Bowling Office Phone: (402) 472-0404
Associate A.D./Communications: Keith Mann
Bowling Contacts: Sara Segal/ Paige Trunta
 Segal's Cell Phone: (402) 350-3409
 Segal's Email: ssegal2@unl.edu
 Trunta's Cell Phone: (402) 429-7576
 Trunta's Email: ptrunta2@unl.edu
Sr. Associate Director: Shamus McKnight
 Office Phone: (402) 472-7772
 Cell Phone: (402) 540-0268
 Email: smcknight@huskers.com
Communications Office Phone: (402) 472-2263
Communications Fax: (402) 472-2005
Communications Address:
 One Memorial Stadium
 P.O. Box 880123
 Lincoln, NE 68588-0123
 Huskers.com

NEBRASKA BOARD OF REGENTS

Timothy Clare, District 1
Jack Stark, District 2
Jim Pillen, District 3
Elizabeth O'Connor, District 4
Robert Schafer, District 5
Paul Kenney, District 6
Bob Phares, District 7
Barbara Weitz, District 8

NEBRASKA STUDENT REGENTS

Noah Limbach, Nebraska-Kearney
Batool Ibrahim, Nebraska-Lincoln
Taylor Kratochvil, Nebraska-Medical Center
Maeve Hemmer, Nebraska-Omaha

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the University of Nebraska Athletic Department is to serve our student-athletes, coaches, staff and fans by:

- Displaying **INTEGRITY** in every decision and action
- Building and maintaining **TRUST** with others
- Giving **RESPECT** to each person we encounter
- Pursuing unity of purpose through **TEAMWORK**
- Maintaining **LOYALTY** to student-athletes, co-workers, fans and the University of Nebraska

UNL does not discriminate based on race, ethnicity, color, national origin, sex, religion, disability, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, genetic information, veteran status, marital status, and/or political affiliation in its programs, activities, or employment. For nondiscrimination inquiries, contact the Director of IEC/Title IX Coordinator or the Section 504/ADA Coordinator at 128 Canfield Admin. Bld., Lincoln, NE 68588, (402) 472-3417, or the Office for Civil Rights

UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION..... (402) 472-7211
President: Ted Carter..... 472-2111
Chancellor: Ronnie D. Green..... 472-2116
Faculty Athletics Representative: Scott M. Fuess Jr. 472-1252

ATHLETIC ADMINISTRATION (402) 472-3011
Vice Chancellor, Director of Athletics: Trev Alberts..... 472-3011
Executive Associate A.D./Senior Woman Administrator: Pat Logsdon 472-3011
Executive Associate A.D./Chief Financial Officer: Doug Ewald 472-3011
Executive Associate A.D./ Facilities: Bob Burton 472-3011
Executive Associate A.D./Diversity, Equity and Inclusion: Dr. Lawrence Chatters..... 472-3011
Executive Associate A.D./Academics: Dennis Leblanc..... 472-2042
Executive Associate A.D./Compliance: Jamie Vaughn..... 472-2042
Executive Associate A.D./Life Skills: Keith Zimmer..... 472-4614

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS AND STUDENT SERVICES (402) 472-4611
Associate Directors of Academic Programs: Katie Jewell, Kim Schellpeper 472-4611
Coordinator of Student-Athlete Development: Alvin Banks 472-4611
Learning Specialists: Andrea Einspahr, Denise Howell, Jim Elsener 472-4611
Academic Counselors: Sheri Hastings, Caleb Hawley, Mike Nieman, Joann Ross 472-4611
Assistant Academic Counselors: William Caine, Gable Johnson 472-4611
Administrative Assistant: Leah Huber 472-4611

ATHLETIC MEDICINE (402) 472-2276
Associate A.D./Athletic Medicine: Lonnie Albers, MD 472-2276
Associate Director of Athletic Medicine/Head Athletic Trainer: Jerry Weber 472-2276
Head Football Athletic Trainer: Mark Mayer 472-2276
Bowling Athletic Trainer: Tom Dufresne 472-2276
Assistant Athletic Trainers: Brad Brown, Jolene Emricson, Drew Hamblin, Marcia LaCroix, Lisa Loewenstein, Jacob Luiken, R.J. Pietig, Julie Tuttle, Tyler Weeda 472-2276
Chief of Staff: Robert Dugas, MD 472-2276
Orthopaedists: David Clare, MD; Justin Harris, MD 472-2276
Team Physician: Janet Kruse Sellon, MD..... (402) 472-2276
Director of Sports Psychology: Brett Haskell 472-2276
Assistant Director of Sports Psychology: Brett Woods..... 472-2276
Athletic Psychologists: Mariah Bullock 472-2276
Athletic Neuropsychologist: Kate Higgins 472-2276
Athletic Counselor: Nedu Izegebunam 472-2276

COMMUNICATIONS (402) 472-2263
Associate A.D./Communications: Keith Mann 472-2263
Senior Associate Communications Director/Operations: Jeff Griesch..... 472-2263
Senior Associate Communications Director: Shamus McKnight 472-2263
Associate Communications Director: Matt Smith 472-2263
Assistant Communications Directors: Jared Meister, Nate Pohlen 472-2263
Interns: Meghan Straub and Cassidy Otteman..... 472-2263
Director of Photography: Scott Bruhn 472-2263
Communications Administrative Support Associate: Vicki Capazo..... 472-2263

CREATIVE & EMERGING MEDIA..... (402) 472-4647
Director of Creative & Emerging Media: Nick Burkhardt..... 472-0342
Associate Director: Alex Rehurek..... 472-0342
Assistant Director: Collin Smith 472-0342
Creative Media Specialist: Jessica Nichols..... 472-4647

FACILITIES & EVENT MANAGEMENT (402) 472-1000
Associate A.D./Capital Planning & Construction: John Ingram..... 472-1000
Associate A.D./Event Management: Matt Davidson 472-1000
Associate A.D./Facilities: Eric Haynes 472-1000
Director of Athletic Facilities (Devaney Center): Randy Gobel 472-1000
Assistant Directors of Athletic Events: Derek Bond, Tim Henrichs..... 472-1000
Event Management Specialists: Payton Buckmaster, Hank Neal 472-1000

HUSKERVISION..... (402) 472-4645
Assistant A.D./HuskerVision: Kirk Hartman..... 472-4645
Executive Director: Alex Wood 472-4645
LED Systems Manager: Kevin Raguse 472-4645
Creative Content Director: Lyle Kwiatkowski 472-4645
Chief Engineer: Scott Guthrie 472-4645

LIFE SKILLS AND ENRICHMENT (402) 472-4645
Director of Education & Engagement Programs: Stacey Burling 472-4626
Assistant Director of Life Skills/PEO Director: Tom Lemke 472-2167
Assistant Director of Life Skills: Kate Frazier 472-7900
Administrative Assistant: Leah Huber 472-4966

STRENGTH & CONDITIONING/HUSKER POWER..... (402) 472-3333
Head Football Strength Coach: Zach Duval..... 472-3333
Assistant Strength Coach (Bowling): Brian Kmita..... 472-3333

PERFORMANCE NUTRITION (402) 472-3333
Director of Performance Nutrition: Dave Ellis..... 472-2813
Assistant Director of Performance Nutrition: Lisa Kopecky 472-2813
Performance Nutrition Coordinator: Jake Blattner 472-2813

**CREATIVITY
IS THE ANSWER**

**CREATIVITY
IS THE ANSWER**

**CREATIVITY
IS THE ANSWER**



www.adidas.com/us/NEB

**CREATIVITY
IS THE ANSWER
CREATIVITY
IS THE ANSWER
CREATIVITY
IS THE ANSWER**